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JEWS CELEBRATE CORONATION

Participation in Historic Ceremony

BY JEWISH CHRONICLE REPORTERS

Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II was crowned at Westminster Abbey on Tuesday, and Jews throughout the country and the Commonwealth joined with their fellow-citizens in celebrating the historic occasion. At the service at the Abbey, charged with Hebrew feeling, the Anglo-Jewish community was officially represented by the Chief Rabbi, and many other Jews prominent in communal and other walks of life joined in the prayers for the Queen's long and prosperous reign.

Special Coronation services were held in synagogues throughout the country and the Commonwealth.

For the first time in history the State of Israel was represented at a British Coronation, in the person of its Ambassador, Mr. Eliahu Elath.

AT THE ABBEY SERVICE

Among those who attended the Coronation service at Westminster Abbey were the following:

The Chief Rabbi, the Israeli Ambassador and Mme Elath, the Marquis of Reading and Lady Reading, Viscount and Lady Samuel, Viscount and Lady Bearsted, Lord and Lady Nathan, Lord and Lady Cohen, Mr. Justice Karminski and Lady Karminski, the Hon. Ewen E. S. Montagu, C.B.E., Q.C., and Mrs. Montagu, Sir Ben L. Barnett, K.B.E., C.B., M.C., Ald. Bernard Waley-Cohen, Dr. Boris Lifschitz (Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of the Republic of San Marino resident in Switzerland, representing the Republic of San Marino), Brigadier E. H. L. Beddington, Colonel T. H. Sebag-Montefiore, D.S.O., M.C. (representing the Royal Regiment of Artillery), Ald. Frederick Lawrence (Deputy Chairman, L.C.C.) and Mrs. Lawrence, Dr. M. Keren (Counsellor of Israeli Embassy) and Mrs. Keren, Mr. Barnett Janner, M.P., Lieut-Col. Marcus Lipton, O.B.E., M.P., J.P., Mr. Maurice Edelman, M.P., Mr. S. S. Silverman, M.P., Mr V. Mishcon (Chairman, General Purposes Committee, L.C.C.), Ald. A. Moss (Lord Mayor of Manchester), Cllr. E. Snowman (Mayor of Hampstead), Cllr. Samuel Fisher (Mayor of Stoke Newington), and Mr. Sigmund Samuel, of Toronto (representing the University of Toronto).

ISRAELI PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

From our Correspondent

Jerusalem

The President of Israel, Mr. Ben-Zvi, this week sent the following message to the Queen: "It is my privilege to extend to your Majesty on behalf of the people of Israel and myself best wishes on the occasion of your Coronation and to stress the hope that your reign may be blessed by Almighty God with lasting peace and your length of days be marked by prosperity and happiness for all peoples of the Commonwealth."

A similar message was sent by the Prime Minister, Mr. Ben-Gurion.

British ships in Israeli ports were decked in full regalia on Coronation Day, cables our Haifa correspondent, and there were parties ashore for the sailors. Israeli newspapers contained detailed descriptions of the Coronation.

Other Coronation News on pages 5 and 6

(Left): Viscount Samuel, wearing the uniform of a Privy Councillor with the mantle of the Order of the Bath and the Cap of State, at the Coronation service at Westminster Abbey. (Right): The Israeli Ambassador and Mme Elath photographed just before leaving for the Abbey (Photographs by Emanuel)

COMPENSATION BILL IN BUNDESRAT

£333,000,000 for Victims of Nazism

From our Correspondent

Bonn

The West German Federal Indemnification Bill, drawn up in accordance with the Israeli-German Reparations Agreement and approved unanimously by the West German Cabinet, has been submitted to the Bundesrat (Upper House of the Federal Parliament) for endorsement. The Chancellor, Dr. Adenauer, has asked Parliament to pass the Bill before its dissolution.

The measure provides for the payment of 4,000,000,000 marks (about £333,000,000) over a period of ten years to victims of Nazi persecution. Together with the payments provided for in the contractual agreements with the Western Powers and in the reparations agreement with Israel, Germany has undertaken to pay 9,000,000,000 marks.

Pensions and Loans

Compensation will be paid to all persons who, between January 1933 and May, 1945, suffered persecution for political, racial, or religious reasons. Other persons entitled to claim indemnification include those who risked their lives in the fight against Nazism and individuals who refused to carry out orders issued by the Hitlerites. Pensions will be paid to individuals incapacitated by the Nazis and relatives of persons who died as a result of Nazi persecution.

Persons imprisoned without reason by the Nazis may claim 150 marks for every month they were interned. Financial aid not exceeding 5,000 marks will be granted to persons whose professional training or education was interrupted or made impossible during the Nazi régime. Such persons will be granted loans not exceeding 10,000 marks to help them to re-establish themselves.

The indemnification programme is to be completed by 1969. The Bill provides for the extension of the programme in the event of the reunification of Western and Eastern Germany.

ISRAELI CRISIS ENDED

General Zionists Rejoin Cabinet

From our Own Correspondent

Jerusalem

Israel's nine-day political crisis ended on Wednesday when Mr. Ben-Gurion, the Prime Minister, announced in the Knesset that the four General Zionist Ministers who had resigned because of Mapai's insistence that schools should be allowed to fly the Red Flag and sing the *Internationale* on labour holidays, had rejoined the Cabinet.

The return of the four Ministers was made possible by the decision of the Mapai Central Committee to compromise on this question. The controversial issues will be excluded from the State Education Bill to come before the Knesset shortly, but will come up in a separate Bill within six months.

The Premier's proposal that the new Government be accepted was approved by 72 votes to 24, with two abstentions. Four "no confidence" motions by Opposition groups were defeated.

Mapam Accusations

Mr. Ben-Gurion said the good will shown by all parties of the Coalition had helped to overcome the misunderstanding which had precipitated the resignations. The consolidation of the Coalition, he added, was not enough in view of present conditions, which demanded the maximum national unity. He would therefore continue his attempts to broaden the Coalition.

The business of the House was held up for half an hour when Mr. Y. Ben-Aharon (Mapam) accused the Premier of "deflection from Socialist principles" and "hooliganism" in connection with the dispute at Kibbutz Yiftah [reported on another page]. Replying, Mr. Ben-Gurion said he was not prepared to enter into discussions with "Yevsektzia" (formerly the Jewish section of the Soviet Communist Party and a term now used in Israel to describe traitors to the Jewish cause). Among other groups he described as "Yevsektzia" was the anti-Zionist American Council for Judaism.

When the debate was resumed, Mr. Ben-Gurion said that after the passage of the Education Bill, schools would become State property and, like all other State buildings, would fly only one flag—that which symbolised the unity of the nation.

Mr. Ben-Gurion's strong views on the flag issue—he considers that only the national flag should be flown over schools—may, it is thought, lead to a crisis within the 400-member Mapai Central Committee, the majority of whom oppose the Premier on this question.

DACHAU EXHIBITION BANNED

From our Correspondent

Munich

By order of the Bavarian Ministry of Finance an exhibition commemorating the victims of the Dachau concentration camp has been closed. The photographs and drawings exhibited at the site of the former crematorium have been removed.

Erich Preuss, a former prisoner at Dachau, who was responsible for the display, has been ordered not to show visitors round the site where the gas chambers, the gallows, and other exhibits have been preserved. The ban, it is officially stated, is intended to counter "uncontrollable propaganda."

AGREEMENT ON DISPOSAL OF CHURCH PROPERTY

From our Own Correspondent

Paris

A draft agreement on the disposal of German church property in Israel was concluded last Friday after a two-day meeting here between Israeli and West German delegations.

The accord, of which no details were given, has still to be approved by the respective Governments.

U.S.A. POLICY IN MIDDLE EAST

Mr. Dulles's Statement

From our Correspondent

Washington

Following their return here last Friday from their tour of the Middle East and South Asia, Mr. Dulles, the U.S.A. Secretary of State, and Mr. Stassen, the Mutual Security Director, announced that the mission had laid a new foundation for friendship between the United States and the countries they had visited.

After conferring with President Eisenhower, Mr. Dulles read a joint statement, approved by the President, saying the countries visited had been given new hope that the United States, while standing firmly against any breach in the ranks of the Western Powers and without in any way undermining the State of Israel, was determined to find a way towards a broader unity.

Concessions Required

In a broadcast on Monday, Mr. Dulles said that the United States should seek to allay Arab resentment against America caused by the creation of Israel. The Arabs had not been reassured by the three-Power agreement of 1950; they feared that the U.S.A. would back "expansionist Zionism." The Jews, on the other hand, feared that the Arabs would push them into the sea. A peace between the Jews and Arabs was possible, but to achieve it would require concessions on both sides. The gains to both would far outweigh the concessions.

The United States, said Mr. Dulles, could not afford to be mistrusted, and it would therefore try to pursue a policy of impartiality in the Middle East. Israeli leaders, he claimed, had agreed that such a policy was desirable. America believed that Israel should become a part of the Middle Eastern community. His Government would not hesitate to use its influence to obtain peace in the area.

Problem of Jerusalem

A Middle East defence organisation, added Mr. Dulles, was a thing of the future; the Arabs were more worried about Israel than about Communism. Referring to his visit to Israel, Mr. Dulles said he was impressed with the State's accomplishments, and he believed it would be able to solve its difficult problems. He described the atmosphere in the divided city of Jerusalem as "heavy with hate." He added: "Jerusalem is divided into two armed camps. As I gazed on the Mount of Olives, I felt anew that Jerusalem is above all the Holy Place of the Christian, Moslem, and Jewish faiths.

"This has been repeatedly emphasised by the United Nations. This does not necessarily exclude some political status in Jerusalem for Israel and Jordan. But the world religious community has claims in Jerusalem which take precedence over the political claims of any particular nation."

In conclusion, Mr. Dulles said he

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BIRTHS

BLANKFIELD.—A daughter, Susan (sister for Ginette), was born to Leila, wife of Ivor Blankfield, on May 28, at 161, The Broadway, Thorpe Bay. (Third grandchild for Mr. and Mrs. H. Blankfield, and fourth for Mr. and Mrs. S. Stone.)

CHEVINSKY.—A darling son (Phillip) was born to Rita (née Sugar), wife of Henry Chevinsky, at the Bearsted Memorial Hospital, on May 31. (First grandchild for Mrs. P. Gold and Mr. J. Chevinsky.)

EISNER.—On Wednesday, May 27, at St. Mary's Hospital, Whitworth Street, Manchester, to Vivienne (née Weil) and Peter Eisner, a son (John Colin).—19, St. Ives Crescent, Brooklands, Manchester.

END.—A darling son was born on June 2, 1953, at Holyrood Nursing Home, 434, Bury Old Road, Prestwich, to Leila (née Kay), wife of Harold End, of "The Bungalow," 120, Butterstile Lane, Prestwich, Manchester.

FRANKEL.—A son was born on Monday, May 25, at Queen Mary's Hospital, Stratford, to Laurette and Ronald Frankel.—"Mon Rêve," 246, Portway, Upton Manor, E.15.

GODFREY.—A darling daughter (Lynne Charmaine) was born on May 28, 1953, at the University College Hospital, to Muriel (née Yuleberg), wife of Alfred Godfrey, of 129, Woodford Avenue, Gants Hill, Ilford, Essex.

GOLDBERG.—A daughter (Ruth) was born on May 27 at the Bearsted Memorial Hospital, to Jean (née Lerner), wife of Jack Goldberg, of 38, Market Place, Falloden Way, N.W.11. (A sister for David and Phillip.)

GORODECKI.—Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Fruitman, of 14, Cleveland Square, W.2, have pleasure in announcing the birth in Warsaw on May 27, of a daughter to their daughter, Ann, wife of Alan Gorodecki.

HACKEL.—A daughter (Jan Harriet) was born on May 17, at Cincinnati, U.S.A., to Vivian Sylvia (née Kolsky), wife of Charles Hackel. (A sister for Barbara Ruth.)

HARRIS.—On May 26, at Elmswood Maternity Hospital, a daughter (Delia Joy) was born to Pearl (née Diamond), wife of Maurice Harris, of 12, West Oakhill Park, Liverpool, 13.

KETT.—A son (Russell Ivor) was born on May 24, at the Workington Infirmary, to Miriam (née Solomons), wife of Sydney Kett, of Whitton Dene, Parkside, Cockermouth, Cumberland.

LUDER.—A darling daughter (Susan Nina) was born on May 28, at the Bearsted Memorial Hospital, to Annette (née Brightman), wife of Edward Luder, 93, Cazenove Road, N.16.

MISTOFSKY.—On Saturday, May 30, at Elmtree Nursing Home, Glasgow, to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mistofsky (Norma Cohen), of Southport, a son (Antony Maurice). Both well.—58, Beech Avenue, Newton Mearns, Glasgow.

VINER.—A son (John Philip) was born on May 29, 1953, at the London Clinic, W.1, to Anne (née Gold), wife of A. S. Viner, 24, Westside, Hendon, N.W.4. (A welcome brother for Susan Lauren.)

WALLIS.—A darling daughter (Andrea Toni) was born on May 26, to Sally (née Slagel), wife of Walter Wallis (né Vollasky).—48, Flempton Road, London, E.10.

WALZER.—On May 18, at 530, Beloit Avenue, Los Angeles, 49, U.S.A., to Paula (née Silverston) and Stuart Walzer, a son.

BARMITZVAH

GREEN.—Michael, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Green, 33, Greenstead Avenue, Manchester, 8, will read a portion of the Law at the Central Synagogue, Heywood Street, Manchester, on June 6, 1953. Kiddush in synagogue after service.

Barmitzvah—(*Continued*)

LUCAS.—John Michael, elder son of Mrs. R. I. Minchom and the late Mr. Bernard Lubner Lucas, stepson of Mr. R. I. Minchom, 15, Cheyne Walk, London, N.W.4, will read Maftir and Haftara at Raleigh Close Synagogue, Hendon, on Saturday, June 6, 1953.

ROITER.—Melvyn, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roiter, of 62, Lynmouth Road, N.16, will read a portion of the Law at the Lampard Grove Orthodox Synagogue, N.16, on June 6. Kiddush at home after the service. Reception at Silberstein's Restaurant, E.1, at 3 p.m. on June 7.

ROSE.—Malcolm Ian, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Rose, 30, Shrubbery Gardens, N.21, will read Maftir and Haftara at Palmers Green and Southgate Synagogue, Brownlow Road, N.13, on Saturday, June 6.

ENGAGEMENTS

BRUNSWICK : SHAIRE.—The engagement is announced of Gary, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Brunswick, 82, Higham Station Avenue, South Chingford, to Sarah, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Shaire, 121, Gosport Road, E.17.

GRANT : BLACK.—The engagement is announced of Sam Grant, youngest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. Goldberg, 75, Fenham Drive, Newcastle (formerly of Manchester), to Stella, only daughter of Mrs. H. Black and the late Mr. L. Black, 2, Parkfield Drive, Hull.

KLAUSNER : METZGER.—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Klausner, of 47, Eagle Lodge, N.W.11, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Myers, of 22, Exeter Road, N.W.2, wish to announce the engagement of Freddie to Zena Metzger, of Tel Aviv, daughter of the late Mr. Louis Metzger.

KLEINER : FELDMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Feldman, of 24, Melbourne Court, Anerley Road, S.E.20, wish to announce the engagement of their only daughter, Cecillie, to Victor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Kleiner, of 2, Magdalen Road, S.W.18.

SHAPERO : WERMAN.—The engagement is announced of Alan, only son of Mr. and Mrs. David Shapero, of 1, Barbanel House, Cephas Street, E.1, to Sheila, only daughter of Mrs. Julia Werman and the late Mr. Arthur Werman, of 205, Royal College Street, N.W.1.

SPENCER : BRANDIS.—Mr. and Mrs. Sid Spencer, 17, Buller Road, Tottenham, announce the engagement of their daughter, Pamela, to Fred Brandis, of 25, Heathfield Gardens, Brent.

SUGARMAN : DELVIN.—The engagement is announced of Nathan, twin son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Sugarman, of 4, "The Grange," Maitland Park Road, N.W.3, to Della, only daughter of Mrs. R. Delvin. "At Home" on June 7, 1953, from 6 p.m., at 33, Godwin Court, N.W.1.

TAYLOR : GOODFIELD.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Taylor, of 94, Spencer Place, Leeds, 7, have pleasure in announcing the engagement of their eldest daughter, Maureen, to Arnold, son of Mrs. A. Goodfield, of 8, Stainbeck Grove, Meanwood, Leeds, 7.

WEINER : STERN.—The engagement is announced of Doreen, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Soloman Weiner, of 83, Ashfield Street, Stepney, E.1, to Harold Stern, B.Sc., elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stern, 98, Devonshire Hill Lane, Tottenham, N.17. No festivities due to recent death of Mr. Weiner.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

KINSLER : EGERTON.—Mr. and Mrs. M. Kinsler, 44, Aberdare Gardens, N.W.6, take pleasure in announcing the marriage of their only son, Leonard, to Joan, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Egerton, 16, Priory Road, N.8. The ceremony will take place on Sunday, June 7, at West London Synagogue, Upper Berkeley Street, W.1, at 1.45 p.m.

MILOSLAWER : GOLDSCHMIDT.—The marriage of Gitta, only daughter of the Rev. M. and Mrs. Miloslawer, 469, Whippendell Road, Watford, to Juan, only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Goldschmidt, Puerto Montt, Chile, will be solemnised on Sunday, June 14, 1953, at 4 p.m. at Stanmore Synagogue.

SALEM : MIRSKY.—The marriage of Juliette Salem, of Leicester, to Nemi Mirsky, of Shipley, Yorks, will be solemnised at the Synagogue, Leicester, on Sunday, June 7.

SILVER WEDDINGS

BANNER.—Mr. and Mrs. Bert Banner (Fanny Levy), of 301, Lea Bridge Road, Leyton, E.10, happily announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Philpot Street Synagogue on June 6, 1928.

BORR.—Mr. and Mrs. David Borr (Bella Freedman), 31, Beech Street, Hightown, Manchester, are happy to announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised on June 10, 1928, at the New Synagogue, Cheetham Hill Road, Manchester.

BRUDNEY.—Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Brudney (Alice Cohen), 142, London Road, High Wycombe, are happy to announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Jubilee Street Synagogue, E.1, on June 10, 1928.

KERSH.—Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kersh (Betty Goldberg), of 261, Stockingstone Road, Luton, are happy to announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the Hackney Central Synagogue, Richmond Road, E.8, on June 6, 1928.

LEWIS.—Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Lewis (Rose Michaelson), 1, Cooldarragh Park, Belfast, are happy to announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Islington Synagogue, Liverpool, on June 6, 1928.

MARSTON.—Mr. and Mrs. Lou Marston (Doree Pierce), of 1, Pewsham House, Manor House, London, N.4, happily announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the Great Synagogue, Duke's Place, London, on June 6, 1928.

PESSELMAN.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pesselman (Lily Shapiro), of 8, Fremont Street, Hackney, London, E.9, announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Philpot Street Synagogue, London, E.1, on June 5, 1928.

SKLARSH.—Mr. and Mrs. Ben Sklarsh (Eva Solomons), of 26, Tanfield Avenue, Neasden, are happy to announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Jubilee Street Synagogue on June 10, 1928.

STERN.—Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Stern (Sadie Simmons), of 15, Brook Crescent, South Chingford, E.4, are happy to announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the Great Synagogue, Duke's Place, on June 10, 1928.

WATCH.—Mr. and Mrs. Sam Watch (May Michaels), of 21, Belgrave Road, Higher Crumpsall, Manchester, 8, announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the New Synagogue, Cheetham Hill Road, Manchester, on June 6, 1928.

Silver Weddings—(*Continued*)

WINTER.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beare Winter (Rose Newman), 11, Regent Road, Southport, Lancs, happily announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, solemnised at Hope Place Synagogue, Liverpool, on June 6, 1928.

PEARL WEDDINGS

STEINFELD.—Mr. and Mrs. Salomon Steinfeld (Tressia Leff, late of Leeds) announce the 30th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised in Antwerp on June 6, 1923.

RUBY WEDDINGS

LEVY.—Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Levy (Amelia "Millie" Hyams), of 45, Berriedale Avenue, Hove, formerly 352, Watford Way, Hendon, happily announce the 40th anniversary of their marriage, solemnised June 8, 1913.

GOLDEN WEDDINGS

CANDY.—Mr. and Mrs. Abram Candy (Rachel Hyman), of Flat 2, 9, The Beeches, West Didsbury, Manchester, 20, are happy to announce the 50th anniversary of their wedding, which was solemnised at the New Synagogue, Manchester, on June 8, 1903.

DEATHS

ALPER.—On Tuesday, May 26, Leah (late of Liverpool), widow of Gershon Alper and beloved mother of Doris, Ethel (Mrs. Max Morris, Bradford), Irene (Mrs. W. Miller, London), and dearest grandma of Gerald Alvarez. Sadly missed by her relatives and friends. May her dear soul rest in peace.—180, Wymering Mansions, Maida Vale, London, W.9.

BERKOVITZ.—On Saturday, May 30, Hetty Leah, beloved wife of the late Louis Berkovitz, of Leeds. Deeply mourned by her sorrowing sons, daughters, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends.

Berkovitz.—On Saturday, May 30, Hetty Leah, beloved wife of the late Louis Berkovitz, of Leeds. Deeply mourned by her brothers, Myer and Henry Taylor, sisters-in-law, and families in South Africa.

Berkovitz.—On May 30, with tragic suddenness, our very dear friend, Hetty Berkovitz, of Leeds, passed away. She will always be remembered by Mr. and Mrs. S. Shulman and family, of 23, Leweston Place, London, N.16.

BOEKBINDER.—On Tuesday, June 2, 1953, Adelaide (Adèle), beloved wife of the late Charles Boekbinder, passed away peacefully. Deeply mourned by her devoted sisters, grandson, son-in-law, Max, relatives, and friends. Shiva at 24, Orchard Avenue, Finchley, N.3.

COHEN.—On Wednesday, May 27, after much suffering, Bessie, widow of David Cohen, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by her devoted children, Harry and Bena, daughter-in-law, Ann, son-in-law, Israel (Issy), her darling grandchildren, sister Annie, brothers, David, Israel (Issy), Louis, sisters-in-law, brother-in-law, nephews, nieces, relatives, and friends. May God grant our dear departed one everlasting peace.—28, Alba Gardens, Golders Green, N.W.

COHEN.—On Thursday, May 28, Ettie (widow of Harris Cohen), of 84, Forburg Road, N.16, after a short illness, passed peacefully away. Mourned by her sons, Syd, Joe, and Phil, daughters-in-law, Sadie and Bette, granddaughter, grandsons, great-grandchildren, Mechutanim, relatives, and friends.

FAGIN.—On May 29, Rebecca (Beck), dearly loved wife of Alfred F. Fagin (of Buenos Aires). Deeply mourned and sadly missed by her heartbroken husband and sons.—14, Mayville Road, Liverpool, 18.

Fagin.—On May 29, Rebecca (Beck) Fagin, the dear sister-in-law of Nan Harris, Lily Reubens, and Esta Hamburger. Ever fondly remembered by all the family.

FINK.—On May 30, suddenly, Maurice Fink, beloved husband of Rosa and dearest father of Edythe.—Summit House, Normanby Road, South Bank, Middlesbrough.

FREEDMAN.—On May 30, 1953, with tragic suddenness, Fanny, the dearly beloved wife of Samuel Freedman. Deeply mourned by her heartbroken husband, sons, daughter, son-in-law, grandchildren, brother, sister, Mechutanim, relatives, and friends. A wonderful woman, loved and respected by all who knew her. Her devotion to her family and her warmth of heart for everyone she met have left a memory that will not be forgotten. May her dear, sweet soul rest in everlasting peace.—2, Dinard Drive, Giffnock, Glasgow.

GARCIA.—On Sunday, May 31, 1953, Ray Garcia (née Brandon), our darling mummy. Gone to join her dear husband, David, and her daughter, Hetty, for whom she always grieved. Loved and respected wherever she went. God rest her darling soul. She will be for ever missed by her daughters, Betty, Julie, Clare, and Dinah, sons-in-law, grandsons, brothers, sisters, brothers-in-law, and sisters-in-law. Shiva at 1a, Princes Parade, N.W.11.

GELPSMAN.—On June 2, 1953, my dear mother, Freda Gelpsman, late of 69, Varden Street, E.1. Sadly missed by her daughter, Fay, son-in-law, Johnny, grandson and granddaughter, Len and Doris, and great-grandchildren, Ian and Susan, also friends.

GOLDMAN.—On June 2, Louis Goldman, of Sydney, Australia (late of 50, Talbot Road, W.2). Deeply mourned by his children, sons, in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, relatives, and friends. May his dear soul rest in peace. Shiva at 10, Great Western Road, W.9.

GOLDSTEIN.—On May 27, Polly Goldstein. Deeply mourned by her brother, Harry, sister, Esther, sister-in-law, Hettie, brother-in-law, Sid, niece, and nephews. Always remembered.—28, Haslemere Road, N.8.

GOLDSTEIN.—On Saturday, May 30, Samuel Goldstein, of 19, Seaforth Road, Westcliff-on-Sea, in his 86th year, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by his sons, Willie, Stanley, Roy, Ronnie, Victor, daughters, Pauline, Sadie, Betty, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and many friends. May his dear soul rest in peace.—9, Aylestone Avenue, N.W.6.

GOULD.—On Friday, May 29, 1953, Sylvia Gould. Deeply mourned by her devoted husband, Harry, mother, sisters, brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends. May her dear soul rest in peace.—101, Oxford Gardens, Ladbroke Grove, W.10.

GRUNISS.—On May 19, Marks Gruniss, our highly esteemed and sincerely loved Mechutan. May his dear soul rest in peace. Deeply mourned by Edward Pulman and family.

HAAG.—On Wednesday, May 27, Solomon Haag. Mourned by his wife, Kate, and daughter, Mrs. Nancy Brookarsh. Shiva at 15, Anson House, Harford Street, E.1.

Deaths—(*Continued*)

HILLMAN.—On June 1, Rabbi S. I. Hillman (late Dayan, of London) passed away in Jerusalem. Revered and beloved by his sorrowing daughter-in-law and grandsons. Deeply mourned.—91, Priory Road, N.W.6.

KAY.—On May 30, Ellis Kay, dearly beloved husband of Beatrice (née Valins), dear brother of Rose and Abe (Miami), son of the late Isaac and Fanny Karasov. Deeply mourned by his sorrowing wife, sister, brother, parents-in-law, sisters-in-law and brothers-in-law, nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends.—8, Hatfield Road, Ainsdale, near Southport.

LANDAU.—On Friday, May 29 (Sivan 15), David Landau (דוד נחמן) aged 68, passed away with tragic suddenness, to the inexpressible grief of his loving wife, Gertrude, his children, John Peter, Henry, and Queenie (Warshaw), daughters-in-law (Anne and Iris), and son-in-law (Rabbi S. Warshaw), grandchildren, Mechutanim, relatives, and friends, who deeply mourn his passing and will never forget his noble and gentle character. To know him was to love him.—34, Anson Road, N.W.2. ת'נ'צ'ב'ה

LAYMORE.—On Wednesday, May 20, 1953 (שבועות א 5713), Isaac Laymore passed to his eternal rest. Sadly missed by Marie Uslianer. He will always be remembered.—29, Brookstone Court, S.E.15.

LEBOFF.—On Thursday, May 28, suddenly, Sid (Simey) Leboff, darling husband of Sala. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by his devoted wife, mother-in-law, brother-in-law, sister-in-law, nieces, and nephew. May his dear soul rest in peace. Shiva terminated June 4.—16, Durley Road, Stamford Hill, N.16.

Leboff.—On Thursday, May 28, suddenly, Sid (Simey) Leboff, darling brother of Raphael, Harry, Solly, Pizer, Sarah (Landes), Becky (Kersen), Jocky (Fenton). Deeply mourned and sadly missed by brothers, sisters, brothers-in-law, Sam, Pinny, Charles, sisters-in-law, Polly, Betty, Lily, Julie ; also aunts, nieces, nephews, relatives, and friends. May his dear soul rest in peace.

Leboff.—On Thursday, May 28, suddenly, Sid (Simey) Leboff. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by the staff of S. Landes & Son, 72, Wentworth Street, E.1, customers, and friends. His friendliness will never be forgotten. May his dear soul rest in peace.

LEVENE.—On May 28, 1953, after a long illness patiently borne, Isaac (Ike) Levene, aged 45, of 26a, Southchurch Road, Southend-on-Sea, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by his loving wife, Ray, daughters, Rita and Ruth, son-in-law, Joe, sister, Millie, brothers, Maurice, Coleman, and Benjamin, Mechutanim, relatives and friends. Gone from our midst but never from the thoughts of those who knew and loved him. Rest in peace.

Levene.—On May 28, 1953, Isaac (Ike) Levene passed to eternal rest. Sadly missed by his Mechutanim, Harry and Sadie Royston and son. We will never forget him.

Levene.—On May 28, 1953, Isaac (Ike) Levene. Sadly missed by Alan and Lila Jacobs and daughter. Rest in peace.

MARKS.—On May 28, 1953, Sydney Marks, dearly beloved and devoted husband of Cissie Marks, 31, Ridge Hill, Golders Green, passed away with tragic suddenness. Deeply mourned by his heartbroken wife, sons, Bernard and Gordon, daughters, Joan and Irene, daughters-in-law, sons-in-law, and grandchildren. He was respected and loved by all who knew him. May his dear soul rest in peace.

MILLER.—On June 1, 1953, Albert Abraham Miller, aged 53, of 5, Didsbury Court, Manchester, 20, our dearly beloved brother. Deeply mourned by Jules (U.S.A.), Maurice (U.S.A.), Jack, and Sydney, sisters-in-law, Eileen and Sally (U.S.A.), niece, Susan, aunts, uncles, cousins, and a large circle of friends. Shiva at 11a, Mayfield Road, Kersal, Salford, 7.

MYERS.—On Saturday, May 30, our beloved dad, David Myers, died of grief four months after his darling wife, Annie (née Rubenstein). Deeply mourned by his sorrowing children Alan and Gertrude (Gerry), daughter-in-law, Dorothy, darling grandson, Peter, relatives, and a large circle of friends. May his dear soul rest in peace.—42, Kingswood Court, West End Lane, London, N.W.6.

PHILLIPS.—On June 3, Polly Phillips (née Goodman) passed away. Very deeply mourned by her husband, Phillip, her loving daughters, Beatty and Frances, grandchildren, Angela and Lawrence, also mother, sisters, Roslyn and Rose, brothers, Peter, Benjamin, and Morris, also sons-in-law, sisters-in-law, brothers-in-law, relatives, and friends. May her dear soul rest in peace.—5, Avenue Mansions, Bedford Avenue, High Barnet.

REUBEN.—On Sunday, May 31, Samuel Reuben passed away after much suffering. Deeply mourned by his loving wife, Rose, sons, Jack, Woolfe (Will), Lawrence, and Victor, daughter-in-law, Belle, brothers, sisters, brothers-in-law, sisters-in-law, nieces, nephews, and friends. Shiva at 121, Tudor Walk, Watford, terminating Wednesday, June 10. God rest his soul in peace.

Reuben.—On Sunday, May 31, Samuel Reuben passed away after much suffering. Deeply mourned by his brothers, Alec, Barney, and Nathaniel (Nat), sisters, Rachel (Ray), Sadie and Hetty, sisters-in-law, Jean, Frances, and Sophie, relatives, and friends. God rest his soul in peace.

RODELL.—On May 26, Leah Rodell (née Rosenberg), aged 75 years. Deeply mourned by her husband, Maurice, sons, daughters, son-in-law, daughters-in-law, and grandchildren.—35, Mount Ararat Road, Richmond.

ROSE.—On May 25, 1953, Esther Rose (née Dubner) passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by her brothers, sister, and sisters-in-law.—3, St. Georges Square, St. Annes-on-Sea.

Rose.—On Monday, May 25, our beloved sister-in-law, Esther Rose, of 77, Redington Road, Hampstead, N.W.3, passed peacefully away. She will be sadly missed by all the Rose family. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—2, Queens Road, St. Annes-on-Sea.

ROSE.—On Saturday, May 30, John Rose, aged 75. Deeply mourned by his loving wife Gertie, son, Alfred, daughter-in-law, Tamar, grandson, John, relatives, and friends.—79, Leeside Crescent, N.W.11.

ROSENBERG.—On Tuesday, May 26 (Sivan 12), Barnett Rosenberg passed away. Mourned by his wife, Sarah.—56, Brooke Road, N.16.

Rosenberg.—On Tuesday, May 26, Barnett Rosenberg, of 56, Brooke Road, N.16, passed peacefully away. Deeply mourned by his sons, Mark, Harry, daughters, Mary (Baum), Sophie (Salmons), sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, relatives in U.S.A., Canada, and friends. Shiva terminated Tuesday, June 2, at 111, Dollis Hill Avenue, N.W.2.

STAMBLER.—On May 19, 1953, Francis Stambler, to the inexpressible grief of his devoted friend and former secretary, Dina Laskey (née Beagelman).

Deaths—(*Continued*)

SCHAPIRO.—On June 3, 1953, after a short illness, Max, aged 74, dearly beloved husband of Leah, father of Gladys, Leonard, and Philip, and son of the late Philipp and Doris Schapiro, of Bolderaa, Riga. Funeral to-day at Willesden Jewish Cemetery, Beaconsfield Road, at 3 p.m.

STEELE.—On May 21, Hyman Steele passed away in London, dearly beloved father of Fanny and father-in-law of Isie. May the dear soul of Grandpa Steele rest in peace.—Eric, Hedy, and Peter Jacobson.

THOMAS.—On Wednesday, May 27, Dollie Thomas, beloved wife of Morris and dear mother of Eileen and Gerald, passed away peacefully. Deeply mourned by her loving husband, children, son-in-law, and grandchildren. May her dear soul rest in everlasting peace.—285, Hagley Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham, 16.

Thomas.—On May 27, at 285, Hagley Road, Edgbaston, Dollie, dearly beloved sister of Nettie Thomas, Matilda (Tillie) Borgen, and Hayman (Hymie) Brenholz, passed peacefully away. May her sweet soul rest in peace.—30, Kelmscott Road, Harborne.

VIMMER.—On May 29, with tragic suddenness, Abraham (Alf) Vimmer passed away. Deeply mourned by his loving wife, brother, sister, relatives, and friends. A beautiful memory left behind.—3, New Villas, Baronet Road, N.17, and Teesdale Street, E.2.

ZUSSMAN.—On Saturday, May 30, Simon, aged 78, widower of the late Sophie Zussman. Deeply mourned by his loving family and friends. May his dear soul rest in peace.—64, Rostrevor Avenue, N.15.

IN MEMORIAM

DIED ON ACTIVE SERVICE

FREEMAN.—In ever loving memory of our dear, eldest son, Frank, lost at sea on D-Day. Always loved and remembered by his parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. Freeman and Keith, 48, Wollaton Hall Drive, Nottingham.

KALMS.—To the cherished memory on his 29th birthday of Michael Yorke Zissin Kalms, Sergeant Flight Engineer, R.A.F.V.R. Missing operational flight March 15-16, 1944. Precious elder son of Jack and Debora Kalms, and Peter's brother. "Four square we stood."

BAKER.—In treasured memory of our father, Myer Baker (of Liverpool), who departed this life on June 16, 1919. Also of our mother, Ida Baker, who passed away on March 26, 1929.—94, Park Lane, London, W.1.

BERLINSKI.—Cherished memories of Ichel, beloved husband of Irene and darling "papa" of Michael, who left us so suddenly on June 19, 1952. God rest his sweet soul.

BOOKEY.—In cherished and unfading memory of our dearly beloved father, Philip Bookey, who passed away on Sunday, July 1, 1951 (Sivan 27, 5711). To the world he was one, to us he was the world. Sadly missed and always remembered by his loving children, Isaac, Solly, Jessie, and Celia, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchild, relatives, and friends. May his dear soul rest in peace.

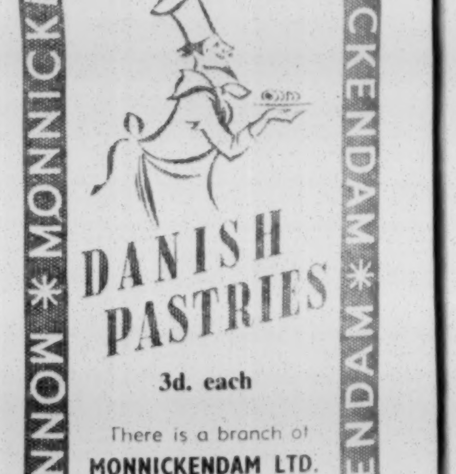
BRILL.—Treasured memories of a dear husband and father, Hyman Jacob Brill, who died on May 30, 1949. Always remembered by his devoted wife, children, relatives, and friends.—93, Richmond Hill, Luton.

COHEN.—Treasured memories of Gerald, beloved husband of Annie and darling father of Louis, Ralph, Doris, and Phyllis, who passed away June 6, 1952. Always in our thoughts.—33, Thingwall Hall Drive, Liverpool, 14.

COHEN (Kosky).—In cherished and unfading memory of our dearly beloved mother and grandmother (Booba), Annie Cohen, who passed away on June 8, 1950. Sadly missed by her devoted son, Abraham (Abe), daughter-in-law, Rose, and grandchildren, Myra, Geraldine, and Denise. A wonderful mother, whose high integrity and way of life won the love and esteem of all, and remain our proud heritage and inspiration. God grant eternal peace to her dear soul.—Mr. and Mrs. A. Cohen, 103, Bedford Court Mansions, Bedford Avenue, W.C.1.

COOPER.—In loving memory of Fanny, who passed away June 3, 1948. May her soul rest in peace.

FINEBERG.—Sacred to the beautiful memory of our adored and wonderful husband and dada, Henry Mark Fineberg, who was taken from us very suddenly June 16, 1944 (Sivan 25, 5704). Loved and esteemed by all, and every day so sadly missed by his devoted wife, Annie, and children, Sydney Carlton (Sheffield), Cecilia Rosenberg, Maisie Pinkerton, sons-in-law, and granddaughters (Leeds). A king among men, his way of life our proud heritage and inspiration.—1, Haugh Lane, Ecclesall, Sheffield.



In Memoriam—(*Continued*)

GOLDSTEIN.—In ever loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Ethel, who passed away June 12, 1952 (Sivan 19). Sadly missed by her husband, Joe, son, Nat, and daughter-in-law, Ann.—4, Ridge Hill, London, N.W.11.

GOLDWATER.—Not just to-day but every day, treasured memories of my dear husband, Harry Goldwater, who died June 10, 1942 (Sivan 24). So sadly missed by his wife, Fanny.

KRAUSZ.—In loving memory of our darling son and brother, Leslie, מ"ב, who was taken from us by his Creator in the year of his Bar-mitzvah, on Sabbath מקץ ה' Sivan 25, 5710 (June 10, 1950). His sweet memory stays with us for ever. Deeply mourned and sadly missed by his sorrowing parents, sister, brother, and brother-in-law.—"Mount Scopus," 3, Broomhall Road, Sheffield, 10.

MASON.—In treasured memory of our beloved parents, Leah and Abraham Mason, who passed away June 13, 1949 (Sivan 16), and June 30, 1932 (Sivan 26). Deeply mourned and always in the thoughts of their children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. May their dear souls rest in everlasting peace.

MENDELSOHN.—In loving and everlasting memory of our darling father, Falk Mendelsohn, who passed to his eternal rest on June 13, 1947 (Sivan 25, 5707). God rest his dear soul in everlasting peace.—269, Cheetham Hill Road, Manchester.

NEWMARK.—Treasured memories of our beloved dad and grandpa, Leon Newmark, who died June 27, 1935. Always in our thoughts. May our darling sleep in peace.

PELICAN.—In loving memory of my dear husband, Cecil Pelican, who died June 17, 1952. Always in my thoughts.—Min.

Pelican.—In ever loving memory of my darling daddy. Always in the thoughts of Toni and son-in-law, David.

Pelican.—In loving memory of Cecil Pelican, who died June 17, 1952. Sadly missed by Mrs. T. Posner, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Zimmerman, and family.—18, Wellington Court, N.W.8.

ROTHSTEIN.—Treasured memories of our beloved husband and father, Mark Rothstein, who passed away June 6, 1934. Always missed by his loving wife, Rebecca, daughters, sons, sons-in-law, daughters-in-law, grandchildren, great-grandchild, relatives, and many friends. May his dear soul rest in peace.—351, Roman Road, E.3.

SCHLOSBERG.—In ever loving memory of our dearest wife and mother, Dora, who left us June 16, 1949. Always in our thoughts. May her dear soul rest in peace.

SMALL.—In ever loving and unfading memory of our loving husband and father, Samuel, who passed away Sivan 21, 5706 (corresponding with June 20, 1946). May his dear soul rest in everlasting peace. His devoted wife, sons, daughter-in-law, relatives, and friends. Also in memory of our darling only daughter and sister, Laura, who passed away Tammuz 6, 5692 (corresponding with July 10, 1932). Sadly missed by her broken-hearted mother, brothers, sister-in-law, relatives, and friends. Always in our thoughts.—11, Bellott Street, Manchester, 8.

VENIT. On June 15, 1946, Sidney Venit. As always lovingly remembered by his wife, Paula, and sons, Maurice and Bernard.—11, Cranbrook Rise, Ilford.

WEISBERG.—Treasured memories of our beloved brother, Philip, who passed away Sivan 24, 5687. Mourned by sisters, Ray and Fanny.—Manchester.

WILLIAMS.—Remembering to-day and every day my beloved sister, Esther (Nettie) Williams. God rest her soul in peace.—Annie, brother-in-law.

Laurie, sons, Joseph and Sidney Steinberg.

MEMORIAL STONES

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

BERKNOFF.—The memorial stone in loving memory of our dear mother, Chana Raizel Berknoff, will be consecrated on Sunday, June 7, 1953, at Enfield Cemetery at 3.30 p.m. Conveyance will leave 40, Riley Avenue, N.16, at 3 p.m.

BORNSTEIN.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of our beloved husband, father, and stepfather, Herman Bornstein, will take place at East Ham Cemetery, Marlow Road, on Sunday, June 7, at 4 p.m. Conveyance from 82, Murillo Road, Lewisham, at 3 p.m.

DAVIES.—The consecration of the memorial stone in memory of the late Percy Davies, beloved husband of Selena and father of Leonard and Cecil, will take place at the Bottom Cemetery, Gildersome, on Sunday, June 7, 1953. Conveyance leaves New Synagogue, Chapeltown Road, at 2.30 p.m.—112, Chapeltown Road.

EPSTEIN.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Sheba Epstein will be consecrated at Duke Street Cemetery, Southport, on Sunday, June 7, 1953, at 3.15 p.m.

GRONER.—The memorial stone in loving memory of our dear mother, Minnie Groner, will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery, on Sunday, June 7, at 3.30 p.m.

HEAPS.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of our beloved husband and father, Nathan Heaps, will take place at Gildersome Cemetery, Leeds, on Sunday, June 7, 1953. Cars from New Synagogue, Chapeltown Road, at 11.30 a.m.

KATZ.—The consecration of the memorial stone of the late Mr. Ferdinand Katz will take place on June 7, at approximately 4 p.m. instead of 3.15 p.m. as previously announced, at Edmonton Cemetery.

LEVY.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of Nan, wife of Dr. H. M. Levy and mother of Derek and Tony, will take place on Sunday, June 7, 1953, at Phillips Park Cemetery, Whitefield, at 12 noon. Conveyance will leave the United Synagogue, Cheetham Hill Road, at 11.30 a.m.

RABINOWITZ.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Michael Rabinowitz will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery at 2.30 p.m. on Sunday, June 7.

ROSENBERG.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of Barnett Rosenberg will take place at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, June 7, at 3.30 p.m. Will friends accept this as the only intimation.

SUNDAY, JUNE 14

ADELMAN.—The memorial stone in loving memory of Simon Adelman (late of 20, Farm Road, Edgware) will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, June 14, at 3 p.m.

BARNETT.—The memorial stone in loving memory of our dear mother, Mary Barnett (late of 32, Maud Street), will be consecrated at Blackley Cemetery on Sunday, June 14. Conveyance from Crumpsall Synagogue, Cheetham Hill Road, at 2.30 p.m.—6, Breeze Mount, Prestwich.

Memorial Stones—(*Continued*)

EPSTEIN.—The memorial stone in loving memory of the late Solomon Epstein will be consecrated at Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, June 14, at 3 p.m. Will relatives and friends kindly accept this intimation.

GORDON.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of the late Marks Gordon will take place at the Edmonton Cemetery on Sunday, June 14, at 3.30 p.m. Will relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.—103, Darenth Road, N.16.

JONES.—The consecration of the memorial stone in treasured memory of the late Albert Jones will take place on Sunday, June 14, at Willesden Cemetery at 3 p.m.—218, Walm Lane, N.W.2.

LYONS.—The memorial stone of my darling husband, Jack Lyons, will be consecrated at Willesden Cemetery on Sunday, June 14, at 11.30 a.m.—1, Amberden Avenue, N.3.

STONE.—The memorial stone in loving memory of our father, Jack Stone, will be consecrated at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham, on Sunday, June 14, at 11 a.m. Relatives and friends, please accept this as the only intimation.

WEINBERG.—The consecration of the memorial stone in loving memory of our dear husband and father, Israel Weinberg, will take place at Marlow Road Cemetery, East Ham, on June 14, at 2.30 p.m. Will relatives and friends please accept this as the only intimation.—122, Clifton Court, St. John's Wood, N.W.8.

THANKS FOR CONDOLENCES

The family of the late Mr. Nathan (Nat) Davies express their heartfelt thanks to Rabbi Dr. L. Jacobs, other clergy, executives of synagogues, institutions, societies, Grove House Old Boys, relatives, and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy in their tragic loss. They also tender their thanks to Mr. E. Raffles, J.P., doctors, and nurses for their untiring efforts.—2, Hillwood Avenue, Crumpsall, Manchester.

Mrs. Betty Goldstone and Hilary, mother, brother, and sisters wish to thank ministers, organisations, relatives, and friends whose sympathy and kindness at a time of sorrow will never be forgotten.—22, Hilton Crescent, Prestwich.

Nellie Smith (nannie to Mrs. Dix and family). Mr. G. T. Oakley (brother) thanks all for floral tributes and sympathy in his sad bereavement.

The family of the late Hyman Steele wish to thank Rabbi I. Waller and the Revs. J. Ferber and I. Miller, of the West Ham and East Ham Synagogues, also relatives and friends for their kind visits, letters, and condolences.—96, Windsor Road, E.7.

BIRTHDAYS, FELICITATIONS, ETC.

Mr. Barnett Caller, Senior Warden, Windsor Place Synagogue and Chairman of the Jewish Board of Guardians, Cardiff, will be glad to receive friends and well-wishers at a party he is giving at the Windsor Place Hall, Cardiff, on the occasion of his 70th birthday, on Sunday, June 14, 1953, at 7.30 p.m.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen wish to thank their relatives and friends for their flowers, telegrams, and gifts, and good wishes on the occasion of their Silver Wedding.—"Freshfields," 126, Prince George Avenue, Oakwood, N.14.

With deep humility and gratitude, Dr. and Mrs. I. Cainer record the completion of twenty-five happy years since the solemnisation, on June 5, 1928, at the New Briggate Synagogue, Leeds, of the marriage of Sophie Kline to Isaac Cainer. Will any friends who share, in some measure, in the happiness of this event, please join with them in making a small contribution to the funds of the Bradford Branch of the Anti-Tuberculosis League of Israel.—"Stoneleigh," Eccleshill, Bradford.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ricklow wish to thank their dear parents, relatives, and friends for good wishes, telegrams, cards, gifts, and flowers received on the occasion of the birth of their darling son.

With love and gratitude to my darling parents, Freda and Sydney Schiller, for 21 years of care and affection.—Marilyn.

Yampolsky (Polsky).—Hyman, Jane (late father's name, Nathan), or children, contact stepsister, Mrs. Gertrude Rutenberg (born Yampolsky), 84, Eden Road, Bramley, Johannesburg, South Africa. Trying to trace them in England, U.S.A., over 25 years.

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Mowbray Road, Edgware

THE Edgware Friendship Club joins in divine service next Sabbath morning, June 6, 1953. After service, Kiddush for synagogue Board of Management, Club members and all residents over 60 years of age cordially invited to attend.

חברת בני יששכר
FEDERATION OF SYNAGOGUES

OHEL SHEM SYNAGOGUE
263, Chamberlayne Road, N.W.10

THE Honorary Officers and Board of Management cordially invite members and friends to a special Coronation service to be held on Shabbat, June 6, 1953, at 9.15 a.m. The service will be conducted by Rabbi B. Lapian and the Rev. J. Kacenelenbogen, and will be followed by a Kiddush.

PHILPOT STREET SYNAGOGUE
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A SPECIAL Federation Coronation service in celebration of the Coronation of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II will be held on Sunday next, June 7, at 6.30 p.m. precisely. The following will officiate: Rabbanim—Rabbi J. H. Cymerman (Chairman, Vaad Harrabanim); Rabbi Benzion Lapian (Ohel Shem); Rabbi P. Braciner (Montagu Road Bet Hamedrash); Rabbi M. Esher (North London Bet Hamedrash). Chazanim—J. Kacenelenbogen (Ohel Shem); E. Singer (Yesburun); B. Smus (Philpot Street Sphardish).

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Holland Road, Hove

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Sales by Auction—(*Continued*)

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MANCHESTER, 8
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HISTORIC SERVICE AT HAMPSTEAD

The Chief Rabbi's Sermon

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

A vast concourse of worshippers, drawn from every facet of Jewish spiritual and secular life in the Metropolis, thronged Hampstead Synagogue on Monday to attend the historic United Synagogue Coronation service.

The distinguished congregants included Viscount Samuel and the Israeli Ambassador to Britain, Mr. Eliahu Elath. A number of Jewish visitors from overseas, who had come to attend the Coronation celebrations, were also present. They were joined by all the Dayanim and most of the ministers and chazanim associated with the synagogues of the United Synagogue, as well as many who serve other synagogal bodies. Many people arrived long before the service was due to begin.

The service was conducted by the Chief Rabbi, who gave the address, the Rev. I. Levy, Senior Chaplain to the Forces (who was awarded the O.B.E. in the Coronation Honours), and the Rev. G. Boyars, Reader of the synagogue. The synagogue choir, under the direction of Mr. Bernard Cousin, had been augmented for the occasion.

The Hon. Officers of the United Synagogue and members of the Council, under whose ægis the service was held, were headed by Mr. Frank Samuel and the Hon. Ewen E. S. Montagu, C.B.E., Q.C. (Senior and Junior Vice-President respectively), who, for the special prayers by the Chief Rabbi, opened the Ark, on either side of which the Union Jack was hung.

Rabbi Brodie said: "At this time of national jubilation we are assembled to render thanks to the King of the Universe, the Giver of all Kings, for His many favours to Her Gracious Majesty the Queen, to the members of the Royal Family, and to her faithful peoples in the lands of the Commonwealth.

Loyal Resolve

"We, of the Anglo-Jewish community, are united in prayer with the millions of our fellow-citizens that the joyous solemnities associated with her crowning will stir in our souls resolves to serve our country with greater loyalty and devotion.

"The Coronation ceremony emphasises those moral and spiritual values which must inspire the conduct of life of those that bear rule. The moral and spiritual values appropriate to rulers and their peoples can be summed up in the word of righteousness. Righteousness is a Divine attribute and belongeth to the Creator of the Universe, our King, our Father, who hath created man in His own image and thereby endowed each one of us with individuality and dignity.

"A copy of the Bible will be in the hands of Her Majesty the Queen at the solemn stage of the Coronation when the oath is administered. For in this oath the Queen will promise to govern the peoples of the Commonwealth according to their respective laws and customs. Likewise that the Queen will cause Law and Justice in mercy, to be executed in all her judgments."

The Chief Rabbi continued: "The reign of Her Majesty commences at a time when no substantial easement of tensions and fears which obsess men throughout the world is yet apparent. Peace seems still far off. And yet a feeling of buoyancy accompanies our prayers that the new reign will usher in a period of tranquillity, love, humanity, prosperity—the fruit of righteousness and peace.

"The British Commonwealth of Nations with its complex and varied system of governments and communities, many of which are completely independent, have a common loyalty—charged with profound emotion—to the Queen. The importance of a far-flung Commonwealth of like-minded nations united and strong in the cause of true peace can thus be considerable.

"God save the Queen and her subjects that joyfully acclaim her!"

Then followed the Prayer for the Queen and the Royal Family, read by the Chief Rabbi.

The following were among those who attended the service: Dr. A. Cohen (President of the Board of Deputies), Mr. Barnet Janner, M.P., Mr. Neville J. Laski, Q.C., Professor S. Brodetsky, Mr. Leonard Stein, O.B.E., Col. Louis Gluckstein, Q.C., Professor Norman Bentwich, Cllr. H. Snowman (the Mayor of Hampstead), Mr. M. Orbach, M.P., Ald. Bernard Waley-Cohen, Mr. S. Sebag-Montefiore, the Hon. Philip Samuel, the Rev. W. W. Simpson (Secretary of the Council of Christians and Jews), Sir Archie Michaelis (Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Victoria), Mr. L. Ellinson (New South Wales), Mr. Leon D. Crestohl, Q.C., and Mr. Samuel Bronfman (Canada), Mr. Arthur Barnett (U.S.A.), and Mr Felix Landau (South Africa).

Madame Elath, wife of the Israeli Ambassador (centre), in the procession of peers, peeresses, and others arriving at the Abbey

SERVICE AT WEST LONDON SYNAGOGUE

A joint Coronation service of the congregations of the Association of Synagogues in Great Britain was held at the West London Synagogue, Upper Berkeley Street, W.1, on Sunday.

The service was read by Rabbi C. E. Cassell, a minister of the West London Synagogue, and the Rev. E. K. Sawady, minister of the St. George's Settlement Synagogue. The sermon was preached by Dr. Harold Reinhart, the senior minister of the West London Synagogue.

The West London Synagogue choir, under the direction of Mr. Mark Raphael, was supported by a children's choir conducted by Mr. Thomas Rajna. Mr. Arnold Richardson was the organist.

Mr. Edward E. Mocatta and Mr. A. L. Radges, Chairman and Treasurer, respectively, of the Association of Synagogues, joined Mr. Robert Hurst, Senior Warden of the West London Synagogue, in the Wardens' box. Mr. Henry Gledhill and Mr. Frank A. Rossdale represented the United Synagogue.

The Federation of Synagogues and the Union of Orthodox Hebrew Congregations also held special services in their synagogues over the week-end. The Federation are holding a special Coronation service at the Philpot Street Synagogue, E.1, on Sunday at 6.30 p.m., at which four rabbanim and three chazanim will officiate.

The Spanish and Portuguese Jews' Congregation are holding a special Coronation service at Bevis Marks Synagogue, E.C.3, on Sunday, at 3 p.m. The Israeli Ambassador and Mme Elath, and representatives of other synagogal bodies, will be present.

Further messages of congratulation and good wishes have been sent to Her Majesty by the Agudas Israel Organisation of Great Britain and by Poale Agudat Israel of Great Britain.

LIBERAL JEWS' TRIBUTE

Religious Aspects of Coronation

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

There was a large congregation at the service of prayer and thanksgiving for the Coronation of the Queen held at the Liberal Jewish Synagogue, 28, St. John's Wood Road, N.W.8, on Sunday.

The service was conducted by Rabbi Dr. Israel Mattuck (the Emeritus Minister of the synagogue), the Hon. Lily H. Montagu, O.B.E., Rabbi Leslie Edgar (Senior Minister of the synagogue), the Rev. Vivian Simmons (Minister of the North London Progressive Synagogue) and the Rev. Philip Cohen (Associate Minister of the Liberal Jewish Synagogue). The service was held under the ægis of the Union of Liberal and Progressive Synagogues. Mr. Frank Samuel and Mr. Sidney Spanjer represented the United Synagogue and Mr. Ralph Pinto represented the Spanish and Portuguese Congregation.

The sermon was preached by Rabbi Leslie Edgar.

There were three aspects, he said, to the Coronation. The first was the personal aspect. They thought of the Queen herself, who, in the days of her youth, had to assume the arduous duties of her high position and who had already won the admiration and deep affection of her people.

Symbols of Monarchy

The second cause, said Rabbi Edgar, of their thankfulness and rejoicing was for what the British Monarchy symbolised—a symbol of continuity of their history, of their free institutions, the rights of all citizens under the law and the fundamental unity of the British people.

But it was the third aspect—the profoundest aspect of the Coronation—with which they were especially concerned that day, and that was the spiritual or the religious aspect, Rabbi Edgar declared. The heart of all the ceremonial in the Abbey, with its great magnificence, would be the Act of Dedication.

They prayed, said Rabbi Edgar, that there might be in the Queen's reign a sense of rededication, of striving to serve God and humanity, and that the life of their nation and Commonwealth would be characterised by righteousness, above all things, and that they should be enabled to help to promote righteousness and peace in the world.

During the service the Ark was opened by Col. Louis H. Gluckstein, Q.C. (President of the Synagogue), and Mr. Edward W. Joseph, O.B.E. (one of the Joint Treasurers of the Union).

YOUTH SERVICE

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

Over 50 youth clubs were represented at a Coronation youth service arranged by the Religious Advisory Committee of the A.J.Y., at the East London Synagogue, Rectory Square, last week. There was a congregation of nearly 600 people.

The service was conducted by the Revs. Arthur Barnett, H.C.F., M. Zeffertt, and A. Fuchsman, assisted by Mr. Henry Shaw (Religious Director, A.J.Y.) and Mr. M. Richardson (Welfare and Youth Officer of the United Synagogue). The Halevi Choral Society and the choirs of the East London Synagogue (conducted by Mr. J. Sussman) and of Bevis Marks Synagogue (conducted by Mr. A. Dias) took part in the service.

The Mayor of Stepney (Cllr. J. P. Long), the Town Clerk, Aldermen, and Councillors of the Stepney Borough Council were present. The London Federation of Boys' Clubs and the National Association of Girls' and Mixed Clubs were represented.

BLIND WOMAN'S PRAYER

Miss Rebecca Randall, a blind Local Government Officer, wrote a Coronation prayer for Her Majesty the Queen. Miss Randall recently broadcast on the B.B.C. about her indebtedness to Louis Braille, the originator of the Braille system, for the fact that she was able to lead a useful life. In a recent international literary competition about Louis Braille she received an "honourable mention." She has visited the United States, Canada, and the Continent of Europe to demonstrate Braille shorthand.

In her royal drive through North-East London on Wednesday, Her Majesty stopped at Islington Town Hall. The Mayor and Mayoress of Stoke Newington (Cllr. S. Fisher, J.P., and Mrs. Fisher) were among those presented to the Queen. The Rev. N. Bergerman, minister of the North London Synagogue, also attended as a representative of the Jewish community.

As part of the Borough of Paddington Coronation celebrations the New West End Synagogue (St. Petersburgh Place, W.2) is among the public buildings which are floodlit.

JEWS' PART IN FESTIVITIES

Servicemen on Parade

By Jewish Chronicle Reporters

Many Jews were among the thousands of soldiers, sailors, and airmen who lined the processional route and among Scout troops assigned to various duties outside the Abbey and along the route.

A considerable number of Jewish members of the W.V.S. (Women's Voluntary Service) assisted in the canteens and information centres. Jewish members of the St. John Ambulance Brigade (including the whole of the No. 30 [East London] Division) were at first-aid posts in various parts of the Coronation route. Cpl. Frank Simons, of the East London Division, was one of the few St. John Ambulance men selected for duty inside the Abbey.

The Rev. A. Ginsburg, who is Jewish Chaplain to the B.A.O.R. in Germany, marched in the chaplains' contingent of the Coronation procession.

A large parade and service for Jewish Army personnel was held at Bicester Garrison, Oxon, on Sunday, conducted by the Rev. Alan Miller, C.F. Jewish personnel were specially brought in from a large surrounding area. Six special services for Jewish Servicemen were held in various parts of Germany, and were conducted by Jewish lay readers.

Dr. Frederick Austin and Captain H. Gavourin were gold staff officers (medical), at Westminster Abbey, during the Coronation service. Dr. Austin was selected by the London County Council. He is an assistant medical officer, L.C.C. Health Department.

Lieut. Raphael D. de Sola, R.N.V.R., was on duty inside the Abbey. Major Juhan C. du Parc Braham, Royal Welch Fusiliers, T.A., was on duty, attached to the Headquarters Staff, London District, at Admiralty Arch.

Congratulations to British Jewry on the occasion of Her Majesty's Coronation have been received, through the Board of Deputies, from Professor René Cassin, Vice-President of the French Council of State and President of the Alliance Israélite Universelle. The message was conveyed by Dr. G. Warburg, who had been attending the Commission on Human Rights at Geneva, at which Professor Cassin was present as the delegate of France.

Reuben Gausten, a 16-year-old Queen's Scout and a member of the 7th Stepney Scout Troop, was one of 50 Queen's Scouts chosen for stewarding duties at the Abbey.

A 17-year-old Ramsgate boy, Colin Morris, who is being trained as a chef at the Westminster Technical College, was selected to assist in the Royal kitchen at Buckingham Palace during Coronation week.

CHILDREN CELEBRATE

By JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporters*

A special feature of the Coronation celebrations within the Jewish community was the many services and festivities organised for, and in many cases conducted by, the children.

Several Jewish schools, including the Stepney schools (for boys and girls) and the Avigdor Primary schools (in Lordship Road, N.16) sent small groups, who joined the assembly of schoolchildren of the L.C.C. area at the Victoria Embankment to watch the Coronation procession.

The Jewish Orphanage in West Norwood has been specially decorated, and on Coronation Day the orphans, together with their invited guests from the schools which they attend, watched the events of the day on a large TV screen. Afterwards there was a concert and a tea party. A special service is to be held next week.

In the various homes for children run by the London Jewish Board of Guardians parties and fancy-dress parades were held, in addition to the festivities which were organised for the local children.

In Northfield Road, N.16, a Corona-

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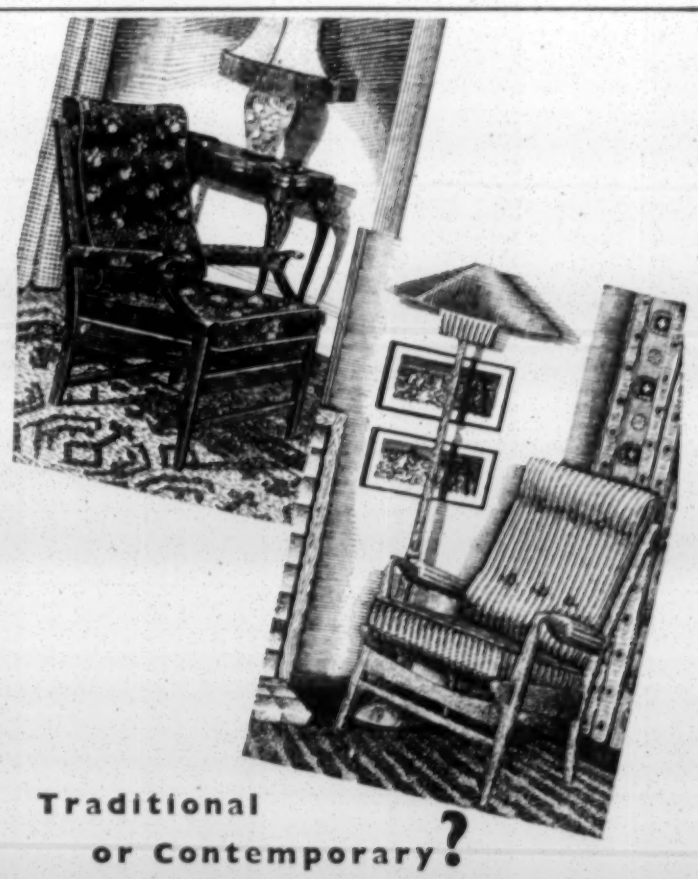

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Mr. Isidore Graul, O.B.E., who has been made a C.B., has been Under-Secretary to the Ministry of Food since 1947. He was a member of the Reparations Commission, Berlin, 1923-30; the Empire Marketing Board, 1931-34; the Imperial Economic Committee 1934-35; and the Market Supply Committee 1935-36. Mr. Moss Dancyger, O.B.E., who was promoted to C.B.E., has been at the Ministry of Pensions for 36 years. He is now the Assistant Secretary in charge of the Pensions Division. The Rev. Isaac Levy is, as far as I can recollect, the first Anglo-Jewish minister to be awarded the O.B.E. The Rev. M. Berman, of Wembley, is a Member of the Order, and the late Rev. J. F. Stern was a C.B.E. Several ministers of Overseas congregations, however, have been recipients of the honour of Officer of the Order. Mr. Augustus Cave, who has become an M.B.E., entered the Civil Service in 1914. He is Senior Executive Officer of the General Post Office. Mr. Cave—known as "Gus" to his friends—is a keen member of the St. John Ambulance Brigade.

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THE SULTANA OF JOHORE

Few who watched the Coronation Procession realised that the wife of one of the Colonial rulers, who was herself in the procession, is a member of a well-known Jewish family. The wife of the Sultan of Johore is a member of the Mendl family, which is of Rumanian extraction. The Sultana was Miss Marcella Mendl until her marriage in 1940. Other members of the family were Sir Sigismund Mendl, K.B.E., a former Liberal M.P., and his brother Sir Charles Mendl, who was for 14 years, until 1940, Press Attaché at the British Embassy in Paris, and now, in his 82nd year, lives in America. Both Sir Charles and Sir Sigismund were sons of Mr. Ferdinand Mendl of Galatz, Rumania, whose wife was Miss Jeannette Halford.

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FLAGS OF FUR

A Notting Hill Gate furrier, Mr. S. W. Ungar, has made two flags in fur for his Coronation window display. One of them is the flag of Israel and the other the Union Jack. The flags are made from sheared sheepskin dyed the appropriate colours. A great deal of comment has been caused by the fact that the two flags appear side by side in the window; but it has been congratulatory, both from Jews and non-Jews. He tells me that he is to offer the flag to Mr. Eliahu Elath. For the Coronation of the late King George VI, Mr. Ungar made what he believes to be the first flag ever to be made in fur—it was the Union Jack—which he presented to the British Red Cross for sale. The flags stand behind two window-boxes, one of which is painted pale blue and white and decorated with a Magen David and a tree symbolising the new forest to be planted in Israel in the name of the Queen.

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

It is often the case that the Jewish child is more enthusiastic in the fulfilment of the mitzvot than the parent. A forceful reminder of this is illustrated by the following true story. A tiny tot attending one of London's Jewish kindergartens was about to partake of a meal at home, but remembered that he had not made *motsi*. He asked his mother for a *siddur*, but it had been mislaid and by the time it was found the meal was cold and the child could not eat it. In exasperation the mother wrote a strong letter to the kindergarten, asking why the child could not be taught to make *motsi after* the meal.

CHRONICLER

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The J.C. 100 Years Ago

The following is an extract from THE JEWISH CHRONICLE *of Iyar 26, 5613—June 3, 1853:*

The foundation-stone of the new Birmingham Synagogue was laid by H. T. Louis, Esq., Warden President. . . . The members assembled in the morning in their temporary place of worship, the Birmingham Athenæum, where prayers were read; they then proceeded in carriages to the ground, where seats had been erected for the visitors. The prayers, which were written for the occasion by the Rev. Dr. Adler, were very impressively chanted. . . . A very beautifully manufactured trowel, of most exquisite workmanship, was presented by George Richmond Collis, Esq., for the occasion. . . . The building is to be of Grecian architecture.

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CORONATION NEWS

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tion Celebration Committee, formed by local residents, organised a street party, to which 25 children from the Board of Guardians' Home at Hemel Hempstead were invited. The 120 children present were given lunch, tea, sweets, and a five-shilling piece each. There were organised games and races, for which prizes were distributed.

A Coronation service was held at the Avigdor Secondary School, Lordship Road, on Monday. The service was conducted entirely by pupils of the school. On Wednesday, when the Queen passed through Stoke Newington during her tour of North-East London, pupils of the Avigdor schools lined the roadside to cheer her.

A children's service was held at the West London Synagogue, Upper Berkeley Street, on Sunday; a special service for the 240 boys and girls of the Stepney Jewish Schools was held at the East London Synagogue (Rectory Square, E.1), on Monday, and was conducted by the Rev. A. Fuchsman and the Rev. M. Zefferit. On Wednesday the upper classes of the school cheered the Queen as she passed through Mile End.

A special Coronation service for children was held at the Ealing and Acton District Synagogue, 15, Grange Road, W.5, on Sunday. The Revs. A. Rose and L. Goldberg officiated.

A Coronation service for the pupils of the Redmans Road Talmud Torah was held on Sunday. Mr. S. London addressed the children and Mrs. London distributed confectionery and a shilling to each child.

Jewish residents of Langdale Street, London, E., have arranged a street party next Sunday afternoon at which 24 children from the Jewish Orphanage, Norwood, will be present. The residents have arranged at their own expense to bring the children from Norwood and to return them after the party. The whole street has been gaily decorated and permission has been given to seal off both ends of the street at the time of the party. The Mayor of Stepney (Cllr. J. P. Long, J.P.) will be present.

GIFT OF FOUNTAIN

From our Correspondent

MANCHESTER

A water-fountain has been presented to the City of Manchester by Messrs. Henry's Stores, and it is now in position in the middle of Piccadilly Gardens.

The gift was accepted last week by the Lord Mayor (Ald. A. Moss, J.P.), who pressed a button to start the spray.

The Joint Managing Director of Henry's, Mr. Israel Cohen, said that his co-directors had decided that the best way in which they could commemorate the Coronation was to present to the city a gift of permanent value which would also add to its beauty.

"IT WAS TERRIFIC!"

Schoolboy's Enthusiasm

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

"It was terrific. I wouldn't have missed it for anything," was the excited comment of 15-year-old Bernard Bernstein, of Edgware, a pupil of Hendon County School, who was one of the fortunate 33,000 schoolchildren on the Embankment who watched the pageantry of the Coronation.

Bernard left home at a quarter past five in the morning to be at school at 6 o'clock. The schoolchildren were in their places on the Embankment at about 7.30 and were thrilled at the prospect of seeing the Queen and the procession. He arrived home at 2 p.m., damp, tired, hoarse, and hungry—he had been too excited to eat his sandwiches—and then settled down to watch further Coronation events on T.V. He went to bed at 11 p.m. well satisfied with his wonderful day's experiences which he said he would always remember.

HEBREW BROADCAST

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

A full account of the Coronation ceremony and the procession was broadcast by the B.B.C. Hebrew Service for transmission to Israel.

Three commentators and an observer—Nissim Kivity, Hagai Pinsker, Joseph Rosenn, and David Rivlin—took part in the broadcast. Two were stationed outside Buckingham Palace, one outside the Abbey, and one at Trafalgar Square. There was also a commentary on scenes outside Buckingham Palace.

The entire transmission was recorded, and the tape recording was rushed to an Israel-bound 'plane. The transmission was due to have been broadcast by Kol Israel yesterday (Thursday).

The broadcast laid special stress on the many parts of the ceremony at Westminster Abbey which closely followed Jewish tradition.

The producer of the programme was Mrs. Ruth Cohen Moxon.

AJEX FOOD PARCEL GIFTS

The Willesden Branch of Ajex has sent 27 food parcels (one for each year of Her Majesty's life) to needy Jewish and non-Jewish families in the area. The families were selected from Ajex welfare records and from names supplied by local British Legion branches.

The Mayor of Willesden, Cllr. H. Thorley, attended a meeting of the branch last week and assisted in packing the parcels.

Flt. Lt. A. B. Lyons, Chairman of the branch, welcomed the Mayor, who, it is interesting to note, has been present at the laying of the foundation-stones of five of the synagogues in the Willesden district—Brondesbury, Cricklewood, Dollis Hill, Willesden, and Gladstone Park and Neasden Synagogues.

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Social & Personal

At the Garden Party held by the QUEEN and the DUKE OF EDINBURGH at Buckingham Palace on Thursday of last week, in honour of the Commonwealth visitors for the Coronation, the following were among those present: Lord and Lady COHEN, Professor A. GOODHART, K.B.E., Q.C., and Mrs. Goodhart, Mr. F. Ashe LINCOLN, Q.C., and Mrs. Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony DE ROTHSCHILD and Miss Renée de Rothschild, Mr. and Mrs. Mark LABOVITCH, and Cllr. Max and Mrs. SEIGLER, of Montreal.

Among the guests at a reception given by the Government at the National Gallery on Saturday evening, at which the DUKE and DUCHESS OF GLOUCESTER, with PRINCESS ALICE Countess of Athlone, and Major-General the EARL OF ATHLONE were present, were Lord and Lady MANCROFT, Lord and Lady NATHAN, and Lord and Lady SILKIN.

The guests at a Coronation dinner last week, presided over by the Chancellor of the University of London, the EARL OF ATHLONE, accompanied by PRINCESS ALICE Countess of Athlone, included Lord NATHAN, Lieut.-Col. Sir Albert STERN, K.B.E., and Mr. Anthony DE ROTHSCHILD.

Owing to the incidence of the Sabbath, the CHIEF RABBI and Mrs. Brodie will be unable to obey the QUEEN'S command to attend the evening reception at Buckingham Palace on Friday, June 12.

Mr. Myer STEPHANY will be 67 to-morrow. Dayan H. M. LAZARUS will be 75 on Thursday.

A daughter (their second child) was born on Sunday, May 24, 1953, at Elmtree Nursing Home, Glasgow to Vivian (née Abramsky, of Kingston, Ontario), wife of Dr. Cyril K. BLACK, of 318, Ayr Road, Newton Mearns, Glasgow.

A son, Philip (their third child), was born on Tuesday, June 2, 1953, at St. Mary's Hospital (Lindo Wing), to Mildred (née Mautner), wife of Major Lionel BOLSOM.

A daughter (Linda Anne) was born on May 20, 1953, to Tessa (née Friedland), wife of Leslie BOR, of 118, Nevile Road, Kersal, Salford, 7.

A son (Julian David) was born on Thursday, May 28, 1953, in St. David's Wing, Royal Northern Hospital, N.7, to Doris (née Cohen), wife of Philip BRAFMAN, of 64, Armitage Road, Golders Green, N.W.11.

A son (Philip Joel) was born on Wednesday, May 20, 1953, to Jean (née Denton), wife of William (Willie) BURSTEIN, of 77, Dorchester Court, Herne Hill, S.E.24.

A son was born on Wednesday, May 27, 1953, at Queen Mary's Maternity Home, Hampstead, N.W.3, to Muriel (née Selincourt), wife of Reuben CORDELL, of 1, Marlow Court, Willesden Lane, N.W.6.

A daughter, Laura Elaine (their second), was born on Wednesday, May 27, 1953, at Middlesex Hospital, W.1, to Betty (née Springer), wife of Sidney COROB, of 7, Surrey Court, Finchley, N.3.

A son, Ian Mark (their second child), was born on Saturday, May 30, 1953, to Elaine (née Linder), wife of Sydney GODFREY, at 11, Hill Top, Hampstead Garden Suburb, London, N.W.11.

A son was born on June 2, 1953, to Essie (née Fishberg), wife of Jack GRAHAM, of 5, Vale Close, Maida Vale, W.9.

A son was born on Friday, May 29, 1953 (Sivan 15, 5713), at Queen Charlotte's Hospital, to Adele (née Redner), wife of Henry KOOR, of 37, St. Luke's Road, W.11.

A son (Anthony Stephen) was born on Friday, May 29, 1953, at 27, Welbeck Street, London, W.1, to Freda (née Silvester), wife of Harry LEWIS, of 20, Edgeworth Avenue, Hendon, N.W.4.

A son (Richard Brian) was born on Saturday, May 30, 1953, at Ashton-on-Mersey Nursing Home, Sandiway Road, Ashton-on-Mersey, to Audrey (née Jackson), wife of Lawrence LEWIS, of "Treehaven," Murieston Road, Hale, Cheshire.

A daughter (their second child) was born on Tuesday, May 26, 1953, at the Shearwood Nursing Home, Sheffield, 10, to Valerie (née Sinson), wife of Laurence NEWMAN, of 37, Sale Hill, Sheffield, 10.

A daughter (Karen Isa) was born on Wednesday, May 27, 1953, at the Forest Gate Maternity Hospital, Forest Lane, E.7, to Bella (née Israel), wife of Dr. Israel PAUL, of 322, Romford Road, London, E.7.

A daughter (Susan Helen) was born on May 29, 1953, at the Middlesex Hospital, W.1, to Greta (née Tuckman), wife of Harold ROSE, of 59, Byron Court, Harrow.

A son (Barry Maurice) was born on Wednesday, May 27, 1953, at Fallodon Nursing Home, Leeds, to Helga (née Schonfeld-Rapaport), wife of Leonard SEGELMAN, of 15, Stainburn View, Leeds, 7.

A daughter, Judith Rahel (יהודית רחל) was born on Wednesday, May 27, 1953, at the Bearsted Memorial Hospital, to Hélène (née Schiff), wife of Geoffrey S. STALBOW, of 25, Rossdale Drive, Kingsbury, N.W.9.

A daughter, Angela Heather (their second child), was born on Friday, May 22, 1953, at Denison Hall Nursing Home, to Sylvia (née Green), wife of Max STILLER, of 163, Street Lane, Leeds, 8.

BARMITZVAH

Brian Allen, only son of Minnie BLOCK (née Landsman), of 20, Rutland Road, Southport, will read Maftir and Haftara at Arnside Road Synagogue, Southport, on June 13, 1953. There will be a Kiddush in the Communal Hall after the service. This is the only intimation to relatives and friends.

Richard Warren, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Sol RUBIN, of 41, Brim Hill, Finchley, N.2, will read Maftir and Haftara at Hampstead Garden Suburb Synagogue, Norrice Lea, N.2, on Saturday, June 13, 1953.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGES

MR. L. ABRAM AND MISS B. NORMAN

The engagement is announced of Leon, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Abram, of 30, Westside, Hendon, N.W.4, to Bernice, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley S. Norman, of 1, Oakleigh Gardens, Edgware, Middlesex.

MR. H. BAKER AND MISS R. LICHMAN

The engagement is announced of Harry, only son of Mr. and Mrs. N. Baker, of Park West, Marble Arch, to Rita, only daughter of Mr. S. Lichman, of 17, Newick Road, Clapton, and the late Anne Lichman.

MR. I. BLACK AND MISS D. LEWIS

The engagement is announced of Israel Bertie Black, of 47, Thorn Park, Plymouth, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Black, of Lansdowne House, Bournemouth, to Doris Lewis, B.A., younger daughter of Mrs. M. Lewis and the late Mr. S. Lewis, of 41, Corringham Road, London, N.W.11.

MR. D. CUTNER AND MISS F. COREN

The engagement is announced of Derek, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Cutner, of 34, Kensington Road, Reading, Berks, to Frances, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coren, of 137, Wigan House, Warwick Grove, E.5.

MR. H. GLAZIER AND MISS J. BERESFORD

The engagement is announced of Harry, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Glazier, of 15, Broughton Street, Manchester, 8, to Jill, only daughter of Mrs. Sandra (Toddles) Beresford and the late Mr. Joseph Beresford, of "Fir Trees," 88, Moss Lane, Sale, Cheshire.

MR. J. GOORNEY AND MISS S. LEVENE

The engagement is announced of Jack Goorney, M.I.R.A., A.M.I.B.E., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Goorney, of 57, Devonshire Street, Salford, 7, to Stella, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Levene, of 81, Gatley Road, Gatley, Cheshire.

MR. H. KATES AND MISS L. S. BRENNER

The engagement is announced of Harvey, only son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Kates, of 36, Montrose Avenue, N.W.6, to Sadie (Lesley), elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Brenner, of 11a, Windsor Avenue, Edgware.

MR. F. F. KLAUSNER AND MISS METZGER

The engagement is announced of Freddie, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Klausner, of 47, Eagle Lodge, N.W.11, to Zena Metzger, of 3, Chen Blvd., Tel Aviv, daughter of Mrs. J. Myers, of 22, Exeter Road, N.W.2, and the late Mr. Louis Metzger.

MR. E. LANDSMAN AND MLLE M. TAPIERO

The engagement is announced of Eddy, son of Mrs. A. Landsman and the late Mr. A. Landsman, of 20, Rutland Road, Southport (formerly of Manchester), to Martha Tapiero, only daughter of Mme Boudesky and stepdaughter of Mr. Boudesky, of 6, Rue Michael Winburn, Courbevoie, Seine, Paris. A reception will be held at the Bell Vue Hotel, Southport, on June 14, 1953, between 3 and 6.30 p.m. Individual invitations are not being issued.

DR. C. R. LYNN AND MISS C. MEHLBERG

The engagement is announced of Conrad, only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Lynn, of 19, Parkfield Avenue, North Harrow, Middlesex, to Constance, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Mehlberg, of 62d, Stamford Hill, London, N.16.

MR. L. RAWSON AND MISS J. GOLDBERG

The engagement is announced of Leslie Rawson, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Roseneweig, of 9, Braintree Gardens, Kenton, to Joy Frances, only child of Mrs. F. Goldberg and the late Mr. Solly Goldberg, of 21, Reid-Park Road, Jesmond, Newcastle upon Tyne, 2.

MR. C. ROSE AND MISS J. D. H. WOOLF

The engagement is announced of Cyril, elder son of Mr. Benjamin Rose, of 29, Armitage Road, N.W.11, and the late Mrs. Rose, to Joyce Dora Hester, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Woolf, of 88, Fitzjohn's Avenue, N.W.3.

MR. A. ROSS AND MISS H. FISHER

The engagement is announced of Arnold, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ross, of 63, Birchington House, Pembury Road, E.5, to Helen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Fisher, of 14, Chardmore Road, N.16.

DR. M. ROTHMAN AND MISS B. LEVENE

The engagement is announced of Maurice Rothman, Ph.D., only son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Rothman, of 409, Greenwood Avenue, Hull, to Blanche Levene, B.A., only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. L. Levene, of 18, Cowper Road, Woodthorpe, Nottingham.

MR. S. SCHAFER AND MISS M. TELLER

The engagement is announced of Stephan, son of the late Mr. O. Schafer and Mrs. G. Schafer, of 138, Ashford Court, N.W.2, to Marianne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Teller, of 54, Clarendon Court, N.W.2.

DR. S. SHEFFRIN AND MISS H. A. HARDY

The engagement is announced of Stanley, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Sheffrin, of 11, Sandhill Crescent, Alwoodley, Leeds, to Hilary Audrey, elder daughter of Dr. and Mrs. L. I. Hardy, of 141, Boothferry Road, Hull.

MR. F. S. YASS AND MISS S. MYERS

The engagement is announced of Frank Yass, A.C.A., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Yass, of 126, Manor Road, Mitcham, Surrey, to Shirley, only child of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Myers, of 14, Riverside Drive, Golders Green Road, N.W.11.

MR. M. M. GAMP AND MISS R. FROSCH

The marriage will be solemnised on June 7, 1953, at 4.30 p.m., at the New Synagogue, N.16, of Melvin, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gamp, of 53, Loraine Mansions, N.7, to Rose, daughter of Mr. I. Frosch and the late Mrs. Frosch, of 32, Listria Park, N.16.

MR. L. P. KRONMAN AND MISS H. LUMER

The marriage will be solemnised on Sunday, June 7, 1953, at 1.45 p.m., at St. John's Wood Synagogue, N.W.8, of Laurence Philip, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kronman, of "Antibes," Mill Ridge, Edgware, to Hazel Rhoda, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Lumer, of 105, Eyre Court, N.W.8.

MR. P. LEWIS AND MISS P. SHAW

The marriage will be solemnised on Tuesday, June 9, 1953, at 4.30 p.m., at the Cricklewood Synagogue, Walm Lane, N.W.2, of Paul, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Lewis, of 24, Broadlands Avenue, Streatham, to Patricia, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shaw, of 35, Bryanston Court, W.1.

MARRIAGES

DR. M. W. CANTOR AND MISS C. DAVID

The marriage was solemnised on May 28, 1953, of Dr. M. W. Cantor, of 91, Cambridge Heath Road, Mile End, London, E.1, to Miss Cecilie David, of Chatsworth Court, Kensington, London (formerly of Vienna).

MR. R. LEVY AND MISS B. V. ROCK

The marriage was solemnised on June 4, 1953, at the Western Synagogue, Hull, of Ronald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Levy, of 4, Murrayfield Road, Hull, to Brenda Valerie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Rock, of 52, The Link, Anlaby Park, Hull.

SILVER WEDDINGS

Mr. and Mrs. I. APPLEBAUM (Hetty Medwick), of 91, Brune House, Toynbee Street, E.1, announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Wellington Road Synagogue, Stoke Newington, N.16, on June 10, 1928.

Mr. and Mrs. Abraham (Ubbie) COHEN (Leah Spalter), of 160, Whitechapel Road, E.1, announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Duke's Place Synagogue on June 5, 1928.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis CAPLAN (Jane Fishman), of "Colonsay," 84, Warbreck Hill Road, Blackpool (formerly of London), announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Philpot Street Great Synagogue, on June 3, 1928.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan J. MARKS (Ettie Wilson), of 56, Cambridge Road, Linthorpe, Middlesbrough, announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised by Rabbi Dr. I. Epstein, B.A., and the late Rev. J. Silverston at Breninall Street Synagogue on June 6, 1928.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold PERES (Millie Solomon), of "Audrene," 686, Antrim Road, Belfast, announce the 25th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Annesley Street Synagogue, Belfast, on June 6, 1928.

PEARL WEDDINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac BERNSTEIN (Effie Goldberg), of 54, Queens Road, Southport, announce the 30th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at the South Broughton Synagogue, Manchester, on June 5, 1923.

GOLDEN WEDDINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis TEARLE (Emily Isaacs), of "Harlow," Bryanston Road, Prenton, Birkenhead, announce the 50th anniversary of their marriage, which was solemnised at Middlesbrough on June 10, 1903.

The death occurred on Monday, May 25, 1953, of Mr. Lazarus CLARK, of 97, Menlove Avenue, Liverpool, 18. He is survived by his widow Sophia, and his children Lily, Benjamin, and Clarice.

SERVICES AND PREACHERS

LONDON

THIS (FRIDAY) EVENING

Great Duke's Place, E.C.3. Reader: The Rev. S. Forscher (of Tel Aviv).

TO-MORROW (SABBATH)

Great Duke's Place, E.C.3. Reader: The Rev. S. Forscher (of Tel Aviv).
Liberal Jewish, 28, St. John's Wood Road, N.W.8. Rabbi Leslie I. Edgar. Subject: "It is People that Matter." 11 a.m.

MR. ELATH'S VISIT TO THE PALACE

The Israeli Ambassador, Mr. Eliahu Elath, was this morning (Friday) due to have an audience with the Queen, to whom he was to present a congratulatory message from the President of Israel, Mr. Ben-Zvi. In the afternoon he was due to attend a reception given by the Archbishop of Canterbury at Lambeth Palace, and later to attend a dinner given by the Prime Minister at Lancaster House and a reception at Buckingham Palace.

On Sunday the Israeli Ambassador attended a reception given by the Marchioness of Salisbury at Hatfield House.

INVALIDS

Mr. Deputy Alfred Myers, C.C., who has been in hospital for some weeks, is being discharged to-day.

Mr. Samuel Landman was taken to hospital on Tuesday. He is making good progress.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

Ben Uri Art Gallery, 14, Portman Street, W.1. Concert by Adele Brodetsky (clarinet), Gwyneth George (cello), Zoë Mumcana (piano). 8 p.m. Visitors 2/-.
Coronation Dinner and Ball: Dorchester Hotel, 7 p.m. to 1 a.m. Tickets £3 10s. each. (Young people's tickets, 30/- each, inclusive of late buffet. Entrance after 9.30 p.m.) Organised by the Functions Committee of the Jewish Board of Guardians.
University of London J.U.S. Ramble-Swimming. Meet at Waterloo Stn., Platform 5, 9.40 a.m. Prof. J. M. Robson: "Paul Ehrlich and the Development of Chemotherapy." West End Gt. Syn., 21, Dean St., W.1. 7.30 for 8 p.m.
Y.P.C. (N.W.). Maurice Sassieni, B.Sc., will take you on "A Visit to a Coal Mine." 7.45 for 8 p.m. 25, Glenloch Road, Belsize Park, N.W.3 (near Belsize Park stn., Northern Line).

MONDAY, JUNE 8

Cricklewood and Willesden Literary Society. I. Finestein: "Solomon Schechter." Rutland, Brondesbury Park, N.W.6. 8.15 p.m.
London Jewish Graduates' Association. Report by Mrs. R. Allen, Miss S. Wills, and Dr. E. Huppert on the research carried out by the Study Group investigating the activities of Jewish youth bodies. Arts Theatre Club, 5/6, Great Newport Street, W.C.2. 8.15 p.m. Visitors 2/-.

TUESDAY, JUNE 9

Patwa. Mr. P. Leshem (Consul of Israel) and the Hon. Edwin Samuel, C.M.G., address meeting: "Questions and Answers on Israel." Anglo-Israeli Club, 41, Great Windmill Street, W.1. 8.30 p.m. Members and friends invited.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10

Ben Uri Art Gallery, 14, Portman Street, W.1. Opening of Coronation Loan Exhibition by the Rt. Hon. G. R. Strauss, M.P. 5.30 p.m. The exhibition will remain open until July 14. Mon.-Fri., 10 to 5; Sundays, 2 to 5. Adm. 1/6, Students 9d.
Jewish Psychic Society. Public meeting and evening of clairvoyance by Joseph Benjamin, Library Hall, Stoke Newington Church Street, N.16, at 8 p.m. prompt. Speaker: Alderman John Stanton, J.P. Tickets 2/6, at door. Some reserved, 3/6, by post, prepaid, from Secretary, 26, Sackville Street, W.1.
Y.P.C. (N. & E.). "Work of the Marriage Guidance Council." By Mrs. R. Hacker. 141, Vicarage Road, Leyton, E.10 (bus 35, 38 to Manor Road). 8.15 p.m. Visitors welcome.

THURSDAY, JUNE 11

Y.P.C. (Hendon & Golders Green). "How it all Started." Talk by Dr. Jascha Rabinowitch. 31, The Avenue, Muswell Hill, N.10 (by kind permission of Mrs. Lubell). (102 bus to Grosvenor Road.) 8 p.m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 14

Y.P.C. (N. & E.). Visit to Eastbourne with optional ramble. Inquiries: AMH. 1944.

NOTABLE DAYS IN 1953 (5713-14)

5713			1953		
Shevat	15	New Year for Trees	Sat.	Jan.	31
Adar	11	Fast of Esther	Thur.	Feb.	26
	14	Purim	Sun.	Mar.	1
Nisan	15	Passover 1st day	Tues.	„	31
„	16	„ 2nd day	Wed.	Apl.	1
„	21	„ 7th day	Mon.	„	6
„	22	„ 8th day	Tues.	„	7
Iyar	18	33rd day of Omer	Sun.	May	3
Sivan	6	Pentecost, 1st day	Wed.	„	20
„	7	„ 2nd day	Thurs.	„	21
Tammuz	17	Fast of Tammuz	Tues.	June	30
Av	9	Fast of Av	Tues.	July	21
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Tishri	1	New Year 1st day	Thur.	Sept.	10
„	2	„ „ 2nd day	Fri.	„	11
„	4	Fast of Gedaliah	Sun.	„	13
„	10	Day of Atonement	Sat.	„	19
„	15	Tabernacles 1st day	Thur.	„	24
„	16	„ 2nd day	Fri.	„	25
„	21	Hashana Rabba	Wed.	„	30
„	22	Shemini Atseret	Thur.	Oct.	1
„	23	Simchat Torah	Fri.	„	2
Kislev	25	Chanucah	Wed.	Dec.	2
Tebet	10	Fast of Tebet	Wed.	„	16

Rashe Chadashim: Shevat, Saturday, January 17. *Adar, Monday, February 16. Nisan, Tuesday, March 17. *Iyar, Thursday, April 16. Sivan, Friday, May 15. *Tammuz, Sunday, June 14. Av, Monday, July 13. *Ellul, Wednesday, August 12. *Marcheshvan, Saturday, October 10. Kislev, Sunday, November 8. Tebet, Monday, December 7.

*The previous day also is observed as Rosh Chodesh.

CALENDAR AND DIARY

Sivan 30 days

Friday, June 5, to Friday, June 12 (Sivan 22 to Sivan 29)

Friday (Sivan 22), June 5.
Sabbath begins at 8.

Saturday (Sivan 23), June 6. Portion of the Law (Torah) שלח לך Numbers xiii. 1 to end of xv. Portion of Prophets (Haftara) Joshua ii. 1-24. [Ethics 3.]
Sabbath ends (in London) at 10.8.

Friday (Sivan 29), June 12. Erev Rosh Chodesh Tammuz.
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'U.S.' & 'FEDERATION' OFFICES

Contested Elections

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

It is understood that a number of offices in the Executives of both the United Synagogue and the Federation of Synagogues will be contested at the respective Council Meetings of those organisations on Monday next.

In the United Synagogue a new name will appear in the list for election as Treasurer: Mr. Sidney Davis (a representative of Finchley Synagogue). Mr. H. Gaventa is expected to be an additional nominee for the position of Treasurer of the Burial Society, and Mr. S. S. Levin a candidate in the election for Overseers of the Poor.

At the Federation the candidates for the Presidency are Dr. B. Homa, L.C.C., and Mr. M. Lederman; for two Vice-Presidencies, Messrs. A. Bornstein, E. Chanan, Samuel Cohen, M. Cooper, and A. D. Robertson; for two Treasurerships, Messrs. J. L. Cymerman, A. E. Magen, M. Pugachow, and M. Webber; and for two Treasurerships of the Burial Society, Messrs. L. Gayer, A. Glassman, and H. Steinhart.

RABBI DR. E. WIESENBERG addressed the Hendon Torah Va'Avodah Society last week on "The Dead Sea Scrolls" at the Joseph Freedman Hall, Dunstan Road. Mr. A. Halberstadt presided.

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W.J.C. REGIONAL CONFERENCE

Problems of Diaspora Jewry

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The central issues facing the Jewish people and the formulation of a "common platform for united action" were discussed at the Southern Regional Conference of the World Jewish Congress (British Section) held at the Anglo-Israeli Club, London, on Sunday.

The conference was attended by 109 delegates and 27 observers, representing about 100 societies and groups in London and the Home Counties. Problems to be discussed at the forthcoming W.J.C. Plenary Assembly in Geneva were also considered. Seven delegates to the Assembly were elected in addition to the five representing the northern region of Britain.

Mr. J. Halevy, Chairman of the British Section, who presided, said that the Jewish people were suffering from a malaise, of which the two main features were disintegration and assimilation.

Plea for Unity

These, he said, could be overcome only by revitalising and uniting all the active forces within Jewry, both for the preservation of the Jewish spiritual and cultural heritage and the defence of Jewish rights and physical safety.

The debate on "Jewish Political Problems facing the Plenary Assembly" was opened by Dr. N. Barou, Chairman of the W.J.C. European Executive. Analysing the present-day position of world Jewry—dispersed in 97 communities, 62 of which numbered less than 10,000 each, and speaking six major languages, apart from several other tongues in use by smaller groups—the speaker stated that 55 per cent of the 11,700,000 Jews now lived in English-speaking countries. Half the Jews in the world were concentrated in 20 large cities and exposed to the assimilationist pressures of their multinational, cosmopolitan character.

Dr. Barou pointed out that because the Jewish minorities in the Diaspora were divided among themselves according to their social-economic position and their political outlook, it was not easy to find a common area of agreement and a common programme of action. He then formulated a "platform of Jewish rights and demands" which could unite all the various elements. Foremost among them was the demand for legislation against national, religious, or racial discrimination, and against antisemitism; the right to freedom of religious practice and common worship; the right to foster Jewish culture and language; freedom of association, both nationally and internationally; and the right of free migration (from or to other countries).

Prisoners Behind Iron Curtain

Dr. Barou said that while welcoming "the moral and political courage" of the Soviet Government in publicly withdrawing the charges against the Jewish doctors and in condemning those charges as an expression of racial discrimination, it should be noted that many Zionists and nationally minded Jews were still confined in prisons behind the Iron Curtain.

During the discussion Mr. I. Nathani, Chairman of British Mapam, criticised the W.J.C. for having failed to become an independent body, which could unite Zionists, "half-Zionists," and non-Zionists, and thereby fulfil the important tasks not normally undertaken by the Zionist organisations.

Dr. E. J. Cohn declared that the Luxembourg Agreement should be not the end but only the beginning and the precedent for Jewish reparation claims. Such claims should be submitted not only to Austria and East Germany but also to countries like Poland and Czechoslovakia, which had inherited from the defeated Germans a considerable amount of looted Jewish property.

Mr. L. Bakstansky said that the only way to ensure the continuous survival of the Jewish people outside Israel and their organic unity with the Jews inside the State was through a wide network of Jewish day schools in the Diaspora.

Dr. S. Roth, General Secretary, replied to the discussion.

Addressing the afternoon session (presided over by Mr. H. Myer), Mr. B. B. Gillis stated that the Anglo-Jewish community had lost its spiritual inspiration. He deplored what he described as "propaganda by gluttony" prevailing in some Anglo-Jewish circles.

Dr. S. Barber, who spoke of the "rôle of the British Section at the Plenary Assembly," said that the British spirit of compromise and moderation, and Anglo-Jewry's experience in dealing with difficult problems might benefit other Jewish communities represented at Geneva.

Those elected as delegates to the Geneva Assembly were: Messrs. L. Bakstansky, A. Bornstein, B. Gillis, J. Halevy, L. Lifl, H. Myer, and Mrs. Dora Goldstein.

MAYOR OF STOKE NEWINGTON

Cllr. Samuel Fisher Installed

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Councillor Samuel Fisher, J.P., was formally elected and installed Mayor of the Borough of Stoke Newington at a meeting of the Council, held at the Town Hall last week. He is one of five Jewish Coronation Year Mayors.

In addition to the Aldermen and Councillors many guests from outside the borough attended the ceremony.

The new Mayor, accompanied by the Mayoress (extreme right), welcoming some of the guests at the reception. On the Mayor's right are Rabbi Dr. J. Rabbinowitz and Mrs. Rabbinowitz

A prayer was recited by the Mayor's Chaplain, Rabbi Dr. J. Rabbinowitz.

Proposing "that Cllr. Samuel Fisher, J.P., be, and is hereby elected, Mayor of the Borough for the ensuing year," Cllr. L. Levy said that the Mayor-elect was a true Londoner, born in the East End, who "from humble beginnings had by his own efficiency, energy, and ability reached to-night's great hour."

Enumerating the wide interests and qualities of Cllr. Fisher, Cllr. Levy said that he was a respected member of the Jewish community, which could justly be proud that he had become the first Jewish Mayor of the Borough.

The motion was seconded by Cllr. A. Watson, J.P., who stressed Cllr. Fisher's sympathetic interest in youth generally.

No other nomination having been proposed, the outgoing Mayor put the motion to the Council, which approved it *nem con.*

Thanking the Council for his election, the new Mayor pledged himself to utilise "this historic Coronation Year as a further opportunity of improving the lot and conditions of the people in the borough," particularly of the old and sick, and to promote the spirit of tolerance, good will, and friendship among the many and diverse sections of the community. He had been greatly honoured, Cllr. Fisher declared, to have been chosen as Mayor during the Coronation Year, and "very proud of the great distinction to be the first member of the Jewish faith to occupy this honoured position."

PUPILS WHO ARE NOT JEWS

"Dayan Grunfeld Clarifies the Position"

Our Legal Correspondent writes:

It would be interesting to know Dayan Grunfeld's authority for the statement he made, as reported in last week's issue: "the grave consequences would be that those marriages [of persons not considered Jews *kedat Moshe veYisrael*] would then be invalid in Jewish law and probably also in English law . . . ." No one questions the correctness of the learned Dayan's statement of the effect in Jewish law, but the basis for his doubts concerning the effect in English law is not so clear. A false statement made by one of the parties as to age, for example, or the production of a forged consent of a parent or guardian to the marriage of a minor, does not invalidate the marriage; it only renders the person responsible liable to criminal proceedings. "Apart from duress or imbecility of mind amounting to insanity, and apart from the new grounds for avoiding a marriage, mentioned in the statute [which do not apply], fraudulent misrepresentation, or concealment, does not affect the validity of a marriage to which the parties freely consented, with a knowledge of the nature of the contract" (Rayden on Divorce, 5th edition, page 45).

MARGUERITE SOCIETY CORONATION BALL

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

The Coronation dinner and ball of the Marguerite Society, which is affiliated to the Anti-Tuberculosis League of Israel, was held at the Porchester Hall, London, W., on Tuesday.

The Loyal Toast was proposed by Mr. Leslie Levens, President, and that of the State of Israel by Mr. Ben Green. Mr. Arnold Lee, the Chairman, welcomed the guests, and a speech describing the work of the League was made by Dr. Alec Lerner.

The Society, which has been in existence a little over three years, has raised over £8,000 for anti-T.B. work in Israel, and maintains a ward at the Nevch On Hospital. It is endeavouring to raise funds to purchase a tomograph for the detection of the disease in its early stages.

An appeal is addressed particularly to younger people to join the committee. They will be welcome to any of its meetings, which are held every Wednesday evening at the Mandeville Hotel, W.1. The Secretary is Miss Joan Freeman, 8, Harrowby Court, Seymour Place, W.1.

During the evening a collection for the society was made by "Bert and Bess," the pearly king and queen, and their family.

Be with them in spirit

This year, as in the past three years, numbers of blind Jewish people will again enjoy the benefits of a holiday at Margate—thanks to the generosity of the Jewish community who have made this worthy project a possibility. As you contemplate your own holiday programme, please spare a thought for the afflicted members of our community and help us to extend the numbers to whom we can open our doors.

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CRICKLEWOOD COMBINED CHARITIES

£11,000 Raised at Theatre Show

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Over £11,000—a record figure for an entertainment of this kind—was raised at the performance of "Guys and Dolls" at the Coliseum on Monday in aid of the Cricklewood Combined Charities.

Members of the Cricklewood Combined Charities. Mr. H. Spector (Chairman) is second from left in front row, and Rabbi M. Landy (Hon. President) is on the extreme right

During its ten years of existence, this small group of business men has distributed over £60,000 to various charities. It maintains a ward at the Jewish Blind Home at Rokefield, and another at the Home for Incurables, as well as a scholarship at the Medical Faculty of the Hebrew University. There are no paid workers, and collection expenses are under two per cent.

Help is also given to individuals. Tubercular cases have been sent to Switzerland and have returned so improved in health that they have been able to resume work. Middle-class people who have fallen on evil days (many of them local residents) have been granted monthly pensions. Of the net proceeds 15 per cent goes to educational establishments in England and Israel.

Rabbi M. Landy, Hon. President of the Combined Charities, told me that a very large part of the success of the organisation was due to the drive and enthusiasm of the Chairman, Mr. H. Spector.

THE TOUR OF AN AMBULANCE

Honouring the Chief Rabbi

The "Israel Brodie" Ambulance for Israel arrived in London on Monday after a tour of 13 provincial Jewish communities.

In Newcastle upon Tyne last week, as reported in this paper, the ambulance, which had been presented to the Magen David Adom by the Jews of the area, was dedicated by Rabbi Brodie in the presence of the Lord Mayor, Ald. W. McKleag.

On Wednesday the Mayor of West Hartlepool, Cllr. Hewlett, and the President of the Jewish Congregation, Mr. Isaac Bloom, and Ald. Marcus Bloom welcomed the ambulance. A promise was made to support the work of Magen David Adom.

The ambulance proceeded to Darlington and was greeted by members of the community, who pledged support for the movement.

On to Bradford, where the ambulance was on view to the guests at a dinner attended by the Chief Rabbi, the Mayor of Bradford, and the Vice-Chancellor of Leeds University.

In Leeds, on Thursday, the ambulance attracted much attention on its way down Chapeltown Road. It was decided to form a group to send to Israel an ambulance bearing the names of the Leeds, Harrogate, and Bradford communities.

Sunderland was visited on Sunday with similar results.

The "Israel Brodie" Ambulance, which cost £1,800, will be sent to Haifa. It is the 39th ambulance to go from Great Britain.

DANES AID YOUTH ALIYAH

Non-Jews' Enthusiastic Support

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE Reporter

Thousands of non-Jewish women are banding together in towns and villages all over Denmark to organise a collection of gifts in kind for Youth Aliyah wards in Israel, Mrs. Elanie Oppenhejm, Vice-Chairman of Children and Youth Aliyah, Denmark, told me in an interview.

Mrs. E. Oppenhejm

Mrs. Oppenhejm, who is visiting Britain, said that many women's organisations were co-operating in the campaign for which public appeals had been made by the Archbishop of Zealand, Dr. H. Fuglsang-Demgaard; the Rector of Copenhagen, Professor H. M. Hansen; the Chairman of the International Soroptimist Association, Mrs. Clara Hammerich; the Chairman of the Save the Children organisation, Mr. Fritz Lerche; and many other leading non-Jews.

When growing Nazi persecution in Germany made it impossible to continue the training of Youth Aliyah candidates in that country, she said, the Danish Government, at the request of the National Council of Women, agreed to accept some 1,000 Jewish children and adolescents from Germany for agricultural training in Denmark before emigrating to Palestine. About 400 children entered the country. When, under the Nazi occupation, the Germans began rounding up Jews, most of the children still in Denmark were brought to safety in Sweden by their non-Jewish friends. Some 50 of them were deported to Theresienstadt, and their fate was shared by Mrs. Oppenhejm, her husband, a noted lawyer and a member of the Copenhagen Jewish Community Council, and their two children. When the Youth Aliyah wards ultimately reached Palestine they kept in touch with their Danish foster-parents.

Combined Effort for Israel

The appeal was launched at the end of last year, the National Women's League this time co-operating with the Danske Kvinders Beredsskab—the equivalent of the British Women's Voluntary Service; the Red Barnet (Save the Children) organisation; the League for Peace and Freedom; and the Danmarks Lottekorps (the Danish A.T.S.). Already eight tons of clothing, medicaments, and food, including large amounts of home-made jam and apple purée, have gone to Israel for distribution among Youth Aliyah children.

Although Mrs. Oppenhejm's visit here is a private one—her daughter is married to Professor Bernard Lewis of London University—she has taken the opportunity to confer with Youth Aliyah leaders here on plans for the future. Next season the campaign for gifts in kind from Denmark is to be renewed.

FUTURE OF MUSIC IN ISRAEL

Andre Kostelanetz "Very Optimistic"

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE Reporter

One of America's most famous conductors, André Kostelanetz, whose recording sales have reached 30,000,000, has arrived here from Israel. He conducted the Philharmonia Orchestra in a concert at the Albert Hall last week.

Mr. A. Kostelanetz

Mr. Kostelanetz told me in an interview that he had just completed a successful three-week concert tour of Israel. He conducted the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra in Tel Aviv and at a military camp in Ramle before Israel's Foreign Minister, the American Ambassador, and the Chief Justice of Israel.

Full of praise both for the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra and the audiences to whom he played, each of which he described as "wonderful," Mr. Kostelanetz was very optimistic about the future of music in Israel. He thought that many other orchestras would develop in Haifa and Jerusalem. Small orchestras were already being formed in many other parts of the country.

As a Jew, he said that he was particularly pleased to find in Israel so much evidence of intense development in the physical and cultural sense.

Mr. Kostelanetz, who is married to the coloratura soprano, Lily Pons, will revisit Israel in about a year's time.

ORIENTAL JEWISH MUSIC

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE Reporter

Recordings of prayers in a Morocco synagogue and of traditional religious and Zionist songs sung by the Yemenis were played by Dr. Johanna Spector, lecturer at the Academy of Music, Jerusalem, and the Hebrew University, on Thursday of last week.

Dr. Spector was lecturing on "Oriental Jewish Songs from Morocco to Persia" at the School of Oriental and African Studies at the University of London.

All the recordings, Dr. Spector stated, were made by untrained singers because she was anxious to record the pure traditional melodies unadulterated by outside influences. She explained that only the Yemeni men sang in Hebrew. The women sang in Arabic, the language in everyday use.

Photographs taken by Dr. Spector of Yemenis in their native dress were projected on the wall to illustrate the lecture.

Dr. Spector, who is an American citizen, was born in Latvia. She emigrated to Israel a few years ago. She will leave England later this month for a lecture tour of the United States, where she hopes to raise funds to buy musical instruments for students in Israel.

MEAT RATION

Mr. M. Levin, Chairman of the Kosher Meat Traders' Buying Group and senior meat allocator to the kasher trade, informs us that owing to distribution difficulties during the Coronation period there will not be more than a ninepenny or tenpenny meat ration this week. It is hoped to compensate the Jewish community in the next few weeks.

HEADMASTER OF STEPNEY JEWISH SCHOOL

Mr. S. Rosslyn's Appointment

The London County Council has approved the appointment by the Managers of the Stepney Jewish School, 71, Stepney Green, E.1, of Mr. Stanley Rosslyn as headmaster of the school in succession to Miss Kate Rosé, who is retiring in August after 27 years as headmistress.

Mr. Rosslyn, who was born in 1911, was educated at the Coopers Company School, Bow, and King's College, London, where he graduated B.Sc. (Econ.) in 1932. He obtained his teacher's diploma in the University of London in 1933. Since 1946 he has been teaching at the Acland Central School, Kentish Town.

In 1939 he passed the intermediate grade examination for teachers at Jews' College. He is at present headmaster of the Brixton Synagogue Hebrew and Religion Classes. During the war Mr. Rosslyn served in the Intelligence Corps with the rank of Warrant Officer and served in the Middle East and in Germany.

HISTADRUT FOR T.U.C. CONFERENCE

Invited to Send Observer

The Histadrut has been invited to send an observer to the annual conference of the Trades Union Congress to be held in September. The invitation was conveyed to Mr. Aaron Becker, head of the Histradrut Trade Union Department, by Sir Vincent Tewson, General Secretary of the T.U.C.

Mr. Becker met several British trade union leaders while on a short visit to this country before leaving for Geneva to attend the conference of the International Labour Organisation.

ELIASH BUST FOR JERUSALEM

A replica of Melnikoff's head of the late Dr. Mordecai Eliash, first Israeli Minister to Britain, which was recently purchased for the Israeli Embassy in London from subscriptions raised by THE JEWISH CHRONICLE, has been handed to the Embassy for shipment to the Bezalel Museum in Jerusalem.

A sum of money was left over after the purchase of the original sculpture, and the balance required for the second head was provided by an anonymous donor.

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AID FOR ANGLO-JEWISH EDUCATION

Memorial Council's Achievements

BY A JEWISH CHRONICLE REPORTER

The aid given to Jewish education in this country by the Jewish Memorial Council was stressed at the annual meeting of the Council, held at Woburn House last week.

The Council, it was pointed out in the report of the Executive Committee, had continued to make a grant of £2,000 per annum to Jews' College. Grants totalling £1,600 for yeshivot were recommended It was suggested that the grants to the yeshivot should be increased in view of their pre-eminent position in Jewish education.

Reference was also made to the fact that as a result of the efforts of the Public Schools Committee over 100 Jewish boys and girls in public schools now receive religious instruction in their faith.

Dr. George Webber, the Chairman, who presided, paid a tribute to the late Sir Robert Waley Cohen (President of the Council). They missed, he said, his mature wisdom. Dr. Webber referred to the tribute which the Council had published, in order, he said, permanently to record its affection towards the man and his achievements. (The tribute is by Dr. Webber.)

The Chairman also paid tribute to the late Mr. Percy M. Rossdale, one of the Council's treasurers from 1934 until 1951. He congratulated Sir Henry J. d'Avigdor Goldsmid, D.S.O., M.C., (senior Treasurer of the Council), on his appointment as High Sheriff of Kent.

Sir Henry moved, and Mr. Isaac Landau seconded, the adoption of the accounts.

Income of £7,585

Sir Henry said their income in 1952 was £7,585, as against £7,456 in 1951. There was, however, a rather larger increase in their expenditure, with the result that their excess of expenditure over income for the year was £469, compared with £109 in the previous year.

The accounts were adopted, and Messrs. Myers, Davies, and Co. were reappointed auditors for the coming year.

The Executive Committee report referred with deep regret to the death of Sir Robert Waley Cohen, who was Chairman of the Executive Committee from 1919 to 1947, and President of the Council from 1949 to 1952, and to the death of Mr. Percy M. Rossdale.

The Synagogue Provident and Pensions Fund report, presented by Mr. H. Gledhill, stated that the main fund continued to make progress, and now had 140 members. The report also deals with the Supplementary Fund.

Reporting on the Central Council of Jewish Religious Education, its Chairman, Dr. A. Cohen (who also submitted a written report), said that during the period of two years covered by the report, the Central Council had done useful work in raising the standards of Jewish education.

The report of the Council stated that the Council continued to make a grant of £2,000 per annum to Jews' College. Regarding the Faculty for the Training of Teachers (under the auspices of Jews' College and the London Board of Jewish Religious Education), the report stated that the Council had given substantial financial support towards the Faculty.

Referring to the yeshivot the report stated that during the past year the following grants were made: Yeshiva Etz Chaim, London, £500; Gateshead Talmudical College, £600; Gateshead Institute for Higher Rabbinical Studies, £150; Sunderland Talmudical College, £150; and "Law of Truth" Talmudical College, £200.

Dr. A. Cohen, Chairman of the Yeshiva Sub-Committee, said that the following grants for 1953 were recommended: Gateshead Yeshiva, £600; Law of Truth (Schneider's Yeshiva), £200; Etz Chaim, £300; Sunderland Yeshiva, £150; Manchester Yeshiva, £100; Glasgow Yeshiva, £50; Liverpool Yeshiva, £50; and Institute for Higher Rabbinical Studies, Gateshead, £150; a total of £1,600.

Increase of Grants Proposed

Mr. Isaac Landau said he should have thought that the Council had sufficient funds to increase these grants.

The Chairman said they would consider Mr. Landau's suggestion at their next meeting.

In its references to the question of Jewish religious services and education in public schools, the report stated that as a result of the efforts of the Public Schools Committee in arranging facilities for religious education for Jewish boarders at public schools, over 100 Jewish boys and girls now received regular religious instruction. Classes had been established in 13 schools.

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AVIGDOR SCHOOL SPEECH DAY

Solving Jewish Education Problems

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The Avigdor Primary School is the largest single Jewish school in the country, said Rabbi Dr. S. Schonfeld, Principal of the school, at the Speech Day and Coronation celebration at the Stoke Newington Town Hall last week. Rabbi Kopul Rosen presided, and the prizes were distributed by Mrs. Rosen.

Advocates of Jewish day schools, Rabbi Rosen said, now found that their cause was popular and even fashionable. To-day hundreds of Jewish children were receiving in Jewish schools a secular education as good as, and perhaps even better than, that given in overcrowded primary and grammar schools.

The school, said Rabbi Schonfeld, had made steady progress. They now felt a sense of security; they had passed the period of experimenting and had settled down. They had 293 healthy, happy, and studious children between the ages of five and 11 on their roll.

Value of Day Schools

Dr. A. Cohen, President of the Board of Deputies, stressed the value of Jewish day schools, which, he said, were the only solution to the problem of Jewish education in Anglo-Jewry.

The headmistress, Dr. Judith Grunfeld, presenting the school report, stated that the junior school was full and the infants' school not quite full. They had spent £700 in the past year on modern text-books. They now had a qualified gymnastics instructor and art instructor.

After paying a tribute to the staff and Governors, Dr. Grunfeld said that in 1952, 17 pupils had sat for the Common Entrance Examination; 15 had passed and two had qualified for central schools. In 1953, 27 had entered for the examination, of whom 20 had passed, five had qualified for central schools, one for the secondary modern school, and one result was not known. The school also had a fine record for sport, having won the shield for the Inter-Jewish Schools Sports for the third time in succession.

Mr. Sol Cohen, Vice-Chairman of the Parents' Association, appealed for additional members of the Association. The head boy, Michael Cohen, and the head girl, Janet Bossick, spoke on behalf of the school.

The school choir sang a number of songs, and pupils of the school presented "The Bible and the Crown," a Coronation fantasy by Dr. Grunfeld.

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The Chairman said they were greatly indebted to Mr. Polack for his efforts.

The Council, the report added, had continued to make grants to small provincial communities to assist them in maintaining the essential features of organised Jewish religious education.

Mr. Wilfred Samuel (Chairman of the Jewish Museum) said they were doing slightly better in the matter of unorganised visits than in the previous year.

Commemorating Late President

The Central Office Board, under the chairmanship of the Chief Rabbi, provided facilities to communities both at home and overseas in connection with ministerial appointments, the report added.

In connection with the books department and lending and reference libraries, the report stated that the books department continued to give excellent service to all Hebrew classes, in providing text-books and suitable publications for prizes.

Mr. Julius Hart asked whether the Executive would consider perpetuating the memory of Sir Robert Waley Cohen in some permanent way. Dr. Webber said that the matter would be considered by the Executive Committee.

Dr. Webber and Mr. Felix Levy were re-elected Chairman of the Executive Committee and Joint Treasurer respectively. Mr. Charles Sebag-Montefiore, Dr. Israel Feldman, Mr. Bernard Waley Cohen, and Mr. Felix Levy were re-elected members of the Executive Committee.

The Executive Committee had re-elected the following members of the Council, who had completed three years' membership: Mr. B. B. Benas, Dr. Peter Castle, Mr. Bernard Waley Cohen, Mr. Peter Elman, Dr. Israel Feldman, Mr. H. Gaventa, Mr. M. A. Jacobs, Mr. Neville J. Laski, Q.C., Dayan H. M. Lazarus, Mr. L. H. Lebus, the Rev. Ephraim Levine, Mr. Michael Lyons, Mr. Felix Levy, the Rev. I. Livingstone, the Rev. I. Levy, Dayan Dr. M. Lew, Mr. John Sebag-Montefiore, Mr. J. Ofstein, the Rev. B. Paletz, Mr. A. I. Polack, Dr. Oscar Rabinowicz, Mr. J. Smush, Mr. Hyman Stone, Dr. L. V. Snowman, Mr. Eric Waley, Dr. George J. Webber, and Mr. G. H. Whitehill.

SERMON FOR THE WEEK

HOLINESS AND HUMANITY

He used to say, he in whom the spirit of his fellow-creatures takes delight, in him the Spirit of the All-present takes delight; and he in whom the spirit of his fellow-creatures takes not delight, in him the Spirit of the All-present takes not delight. (Ethics iii, 13.)

THIS teaching of R. Hanina, seeming, as it does, to prefer popularity to integrity, is strange. As Dr. Hertz remarks, if taken at its face value it does scant justice to the prophet or the martyr: human favour does not, as a rule, shadow them. The tag *vox populi, vox Dei* has often had pernicious results when applied to life's problems: its contradiction is advocated by the pungent Yiddish saying, *olam-golem*—the public is a lifeless robot.

One of the besetting sins of our age is the cult of glorification of personality without reference to the character it conceals. A charming manner, a pleasing exterior, courteous behaviour, and a good measure of the social graces—these are sufficient to cover a multitude of sins. The inevitable result of this stress on external virtues is to leave a wide open door through which the demogogue can easily capture the public heart and mind.

THIS can hardly be the Jewish ideal.

It was no doubt in opposition to the facile assumption that popularity is evidence of good character and sound leadership, that a Talmudic teacher said: "If a scholar is loved by his townsfolk it is not because he is worthy, but because he has failed to rebuke them for their religious and moral shortcomings." What, then, did R. Hanina mean?

The answer is to be found in the words of our text, *nohah hayemenu*, generally translated as "takes delight in him," but actually meaning "is at ease with him." There is no suggestion here of pandering to the vulgar taste, still less of requiring the sanction of the ignorant as to the validity of our religious views. The lesson conveyed here is that the course we adopt in our religious life must not be of such a nature as to repel ordinary people with a common sense view. The way of life we adopt must be such that even those who cannot accept it can yet feel "at ease" in its presence.

The truth of the matter is that while the prophet and the martyr may forfeit the love of their fellows by their stern, unrelenting insistence on obedience to the call of duty, they none the less evoke feelings of profound respect even in the hearts of those who are prepared to stop at nothing to silence their voice. The message of the prophet and the martyr is provocative and disturbing, but those who hear it discover an echo in their own souls. The struggle against it often arises out of a tacit recognition of the truth of the message. Not so the disturbance created by the fanatic, the bigot, and the crank. Those who repudiate their ideas do so with righteous indignation at the affront to human personality of these misguided men's confusion between enthusiasm and conviction and their conversion of a side issue into a main issue.

RELIGIOUS people are at times prone to the temptation of one-sidedness. Their faith is sometimes of that narrow, bitter variety which few can respect and fewer can admire. It was against this cramping conception of religious faith that R. Hanina preached. The same thought has often been voiced in subsequent Jewish teaching. It was well expressed by the Chassidic teacher, R. Mendel of Kotzk, who paraphrased the verse: "Ye shall be holy *men* unto me," to mean that the ideal of holiness ought not to produce an inhuman type of person. "Be holy," said R. Mendel, "but at the same time be a *mensch*."

T.B. LEAGUE'S £5,661 FOR ISRAEL

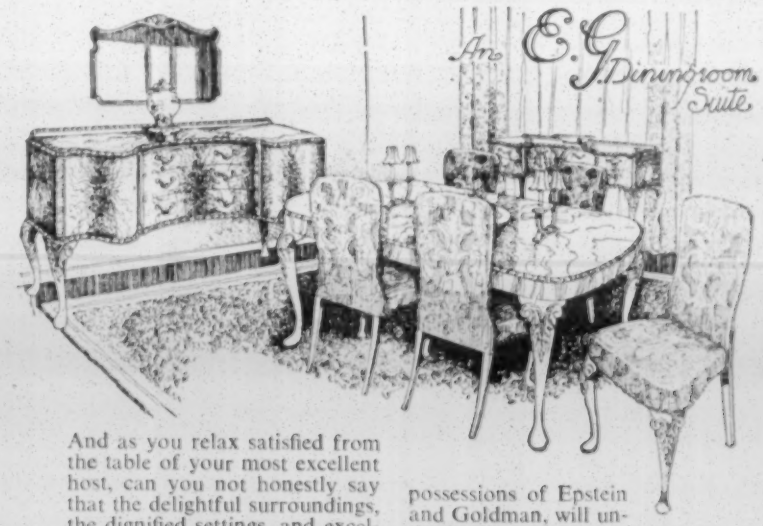
Cheque Presented to Mme Elath

Mme Elath, wife of the Israeli Ambassador, last week accepted from the President of the Functions Committee of the Anti-T.B. League of Israel, Mr. Morris Saper, a cheque for £5,661, the proceeds of the ball held by the Friends at Grosvenor House, London, last December.

The presentation was made at a cocktail party held by the Functions Committee at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rosser Chinn, 12, Hyde Park Place, W.2.

Dr. Alec Lerner, Joint Chairman of the Friends, welcomed Mme Elath and thanked Mrs. Saper, Mrs. Eric Estorick, and Mrs. Alexander Margulies, Joint Chairmen of the Functions Committee, and all members of the committee, for their efforts.

A winter ball has been planned, and new members who would like to assist the committee in arranging this gathering should get in touch with the Friends of the Anti-T.B. League, 65, Baker Street, W.1 (phone Welbeck 2595 and 9610).



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SYNAGOGUE ANNUAL MEETINGS

By Jewish Chronicle Reporters

Cricklewood

The following were elected at the recent annual meeting of the Cricklewood Synagogue (Walm Lane, N.W.2): Messrs. Morris Cohen and S. Pfeffer, Wardens; J. Alberg, Financial Representative; M. Boxer, L. Eisen, M. Flansberg, L. Gerstler, W. Goldberg, R. Goldwater, J. Klarfeld, M. Levartovsky, S. Miller, A. Rosefield, S. A. Schiff, and H. Spector, Board of Management; A. Boxer, S. Cohen, L. Eisen, L. Elgrod, H. Gerstler, L. Gerstler, S. Gerstler, F. M. Landau, B. B. Lieberman, S. Miller, S. A. Schiff, and S. Stark, Council of the United Synagogue; and S. Stark, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Hampstead Garden Suburb

At the recent annual meeting of the Hampstead Garden Suburb Synagogue (Norris' Lea, N.2), the following were elected: Messrs. A. Fishman and M. Fulder, Wardens; H. Landy, Financial Representative; S. J. Birn, P. Elman, S. J. Frankfurt, R. Grodzinski, D. Isaacs, A. Kleiman, H. Klug, J. H. Lew, L. Rabinowicz, M. W. Sefton, M. Walden, and A. Winegarten, Board of Management; A. I. Bard, M. W. Sefton, Dr. G. Webber, Messrs. Max Weinbaum, and A. Winegarten, Council of the United Synagogue; and H. Landy, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Brixton

The following were elected at the recent annual meeting of the Brixton Synagogue (Effra Road, S.W.2): Messrs. S. C. Levy and S. Clyne, Wardens; G. M. Gee, Financial Representative; I. Cowen, C. Hamper, J. Harris, J. S. Joseph, M. Leyens, H. Rind, A. Ringle, L. J. Rychtman, F. J. Williams, and Dr. W. Littlestone, Board of Management; Messrs. B. Cowan, H. Grunis, M. Hyams, M. Ostrow, J. D. Rychtman, S. A. Stratton, and A. N. Witt, Council of the United Synagogue; and J. D. Rychtman, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Brondesbury

The following were elected at the recent annual meeting of the Brondesbury Synagogue (Chevening Road, N.W.6): Messrs. A. Jackson, Warden; I. Sklan, Financial Representative; J. Cash, S. Kugler, J. Lass, J. Marks, M. Nisenbaum, E. Pollard, J. Rosenfeld, J. Sacks, A. Steinberg, P. Taylor, J. Waller, and M. Williams, Board of Management; J. Cash, Sim Cohen, H. Hames, M. Nisenbaum, J. Rosenfeld, B. Stein, P. Taylor, and M. Williams, Council of the United Synagogue; and M. Nisenbaum, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Dollis Hill

The following were elected at the recent annual meeting of the Dollis Hill Synagogue (Parkside, Dollis Hill Lane, N.W.2): Messrs. E. H. Segal, Warden; W. M. Harris, Financial Representative; P. Alexander, S. H. Barton, R. Borin, C. Gertler, H. Gold, P. Kersen, J. Landau, M. Margo, N. Oberman, R. Pantzer, D. K. Phillips, and J. L. Singer, Board of Management; P. Alexander, J. Ashfield, S. H. Barton, R. Borin, R. Enoch, C. Gertler, L. J. Hill, J. Landau, D. K. Phillips, and J. L. Singer, Council of the United Synagogue; and D. Goodman, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Hackney

Election results at the annual meeting of the Hackney Synagogue (Brenthouse Road, E.9), held recently, were as follows: Messrs. L. Abrahams and S. N. Rosen, Wardens; J. D. Toperoff, Financial Representative; S. Barry, R. Black, M. Franks, L. Harris, M. Green, M. King, A. Kritz, H. B. Roland, L. Rosner, H. Santaub, L. Sontag, and J. Wollenberg, Board of Management; S. Barry, R. Black, M. Franks, M. Green, M. King, A. Kritz, H. B. Roland, H. Santaub, L. Sontag, J. Wollenberg, and S. Yentis, Council of the United Synagogue; and L. Abrahams, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Stoke Newington

The following were elected at the annual meeting of the Stoke Newington Synagogue (Shacklewell Lane, E.8), held recently: Messrs. A. Beck and P. Wolinsky, Wardens; M. Cohen, Financial Representative; H. D. Blau, J. Greenberg, H. Greenstein, S. Greenstein, S. Kluman, B. Mindel, L. Mindel, W. Oster, I. Rubenstein, I. Shocket, I. Steinhart, and J. H. Wengrow, Board of Management; J. Goodman, H. Greenstein, S. Greenstein, S. Heiser, S. Kluman, L. Mindel, W. Oster, A. D. Robertson, and I. Steinhart, the Council of the United Synagogue; and S. Kluman, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Ealing and Acton

The following were elected at the recent annual meeting of the Ealing and Acton District Synagogue, Grange Rd., Ealing, W.5: Messrs. F. M. Frankal and S. Rosenbloom, Wardens; Michael Levy, Financial Representative; Nathan Isaacs, Hon. Secretary; M. Baderman, C. Barnett, L. Crystal, M. Cirkel, S. Halpern, A. Lewis, A. J. Morris, H. Oldman, S. Sabel, J. Shestopal, H. M. Stern, and L. Wolf, Board of Management; F. M. Frankal, M. Levy, A. J. Morris, S. Rosenbloom, and A. White, District Synagogues Council; and C. Barnett, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Finsbury Park

Results of the elections at the recent annual meeting of the Finsbury Park District Synagogue (Princess Crescent, Queen's Drive, N.4) were as follows: Messrs. S. Diamond and H. D. Rosenthal, Wardens; E. Milner, Financial Representative; L. Bruckheimer, L. Corb, B. Cramer, M. Gershon, J. Isenstein, S. Klahr, G. Michaels, J. M. Michaels, J. Primhak, N. Primhak, H. Salt, and E. Wohlman, Board of Management; and J. M. Michaels, District Synagogues Council and Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Kingsbury

At the annual meeting of the Kingsbury District Synagogue (Woodland Close, N.W.9), held recently, the following were elected: Messrs. L. Domb and J. J. Lewis, Wardens; L. Jackson, Financial Representative; S. Berkoff, J. Compton, H. Da Costa, H. Frome, H. Gamse, H. I. Jacobs, G. Joseph, R. Marks, and H. Stanton, Board of Management; and L. Domb, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

South-East London

Elections at the recent annual meeting of the South-East London Synagogue (New Cross Road, S.E.14) resulted as follows: Dr. I. Cohen and Mr. I. T. Dove, Wardens; Messrs. M. Walters, Financial Representative; H. Bloom, M. Carr, J. Cohen, W. Cowan, S. Dreeyer, H. Gold, A. Hamreck, A. Horne, H. Klein, D. Moss, J. Shaw, and J. Zeff, Board of Management; and W. Cowan, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

South-West London

At the recent annual meeting of the South-West London District Synagogue (Bolingbroke Grove, S.W.11) the following were elected: Messrs. S. Levin and S. Ostroff, Wardens; Dr. M. I. Cornick, Financial Representative; Dr. D. Billig and Messrs. S. Cohen, I. Frankfurt, M. Halperin, G. Karsberg, M. Kleiner, B. Landsberg, W. Perry, A. Pincus, J. Rosenfield, M. Slater, and N. Sonn, Board of Management; Dr. M. I. Cornick and Messrs. S. Levin, S. Ostroff, and M. Slater, District Synagogues Council; and Dr. M. I. Cornick, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

Wembley

At the recent annual meeting of the Wembley Synagogue (Forty Avenue, Wembley), the following were elected: Messrs. J. Kaufmann and J. Sklan, Wardens; J. Clapman, Financial Representative; G. W. Busse, C. Cash, M. Chesterman, J. Elman, S. M. Freeman, S. Goldstein, M. Kutner, Harry Levene, H. Roston, H. Schiff and D. Soskin, Board of Management; M. Bennett, M. Chesterman, J. Clapman, J. Elman, S. M. Freeman, S. Goldstein, J. Kaufmann, H. Lipson, P. Milstone, H. Roston, M. Sagon, H. Schiff, and J. Sklan, District Synagogues Council; H. Schiff, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

West Ham

Those elected at the recent annual meeting of the West Ham District Synagogue (Earlham Grove, E.7) were as follows: Messrs. A. Collett and H. Labovitch, Wardens; C. Molen, Financial Representative; H. Angel, M. Blackman, J. Fine, R. Green, W. Hersham, L. Olofsky, P. Pollins, J. Rees, Dr. H. L. Selwyn, Messrs. C. Shuman, M. L. Shuman, D. Solomons, S. S. Waldman, J. Wolff, A. Wolffe, and A. Weinberg, Board of Management; A. Collet, W. Hersham, H. Labovitch, S. Levene, C. Molen, J. Rees, Dr. H. L. Selwyn, Messrs. D. Solomons, and A. Weinberg, District Synagogues Council; and A. Weinberg, Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue.

The following were elected delegates to the Federation of Synagogues at the recent annual meeting of the Jubilee Street Zionist Great Synagogue: Messrs. A. Glassman, S. Levy, M. Goldman, M. Evankovsky, T. Benjamin, M. Weisrose, N. Cohen, A. G. Cohen, I. Miller, and L. Zahl.

Hendon Adath Yisroel

At the annual meeting of the Hendon Adath Yisroel, held at the Abba Myers Centre, Shirehall Lane, N.W., on Sunday, the following were elected: Dr. J. Braude, President; Messrs. J. Kaufmann and H. Klausner, Vice-Presidents; M. Schwarz, Treasurer; S. Hirsch, Hon. Secretary; and Major M. Eckstein and Messrs. E. Felsenstein, G. Hepner, and E. Rottenberger, Board of Management. Messrs. A. Eisenberger and J. Randall were appointed auditors.

U.K.-ISRAEL TRADE CONTRACTION

Chamber of Commerce Concern

The second annual meeting of the Anglo-Israel Chamber of Commerce was held at the offices of the Bank Leumi Le-Israel B.M., 6, Gracechurch Street, London, E.C.3, last week.

The President, Mr. Leslie Gamage, M.C., expressed the Chamber's deep concern at the further contraction in the United Kingdom-Israel trade, resulting from continued United Kingdom restrictions on Israel's exports to this country. The situation had further been exacerbated by the emergence of Western Germany as a major new supplier to Israel under the Reparations Agreement.

Earlier representations to H.M. Government, he added, had not yet met with a positive response, and the Chamber was now engaged in even more vigorous efforts to bring home to the United Kingdom authorities the deeper significance of diminishing reciprocal commerce from both the short- and long-term points of view. The Chamber believed that a basis existed for a much greater flow of goods between the two countries and was determined that the far from insignificant mutual benefits stemming from reciprocal commerce should not go by default.

No Positive Response

In May of last year, the report stated, the Chamber submitted a considered memorandum on trends in United Kingdom-Israel trade to the competent authorities of both countries. Understandably, at a time when this country was still fighting to arrest the drain on its gold and dollar reserves, it did not prove possible to bring about any specific alleviation of import restrictions on trade with Israel. However, in the late autumn, when it became apparent that the United Kingdom's economic position had taken a turn for the better, a further memorandum (incorporating the likely impact of the German Reparations Agreement) was submitted to the Board of Trade and subsequently discussed in detail. It was to be regretted that no positive response to their representations had yet been forthcoming.

The following were elected to the Executive Committee: Messrs. Israel M. Sieff, Chairman; Sidney J. van den Bergh, O.B.E., Vice-Chairman; L. Istorik, Treasurer; the Rt. Hon. Lord Kilmarnock, M.B.E., and Messrs. M. N. Lubin and W. MacGillivray, Members.

ISRAEL AND PEACE

Miss Barbara Castle's View

At an "Any Questions?" session held in Lowestoft recently by the "Tribune" Brains Trust, a question on the Middle East and the danger to world peace, and whether "the creation of the State of Israel had increased or diminished that danger," was asked.

Miss Barbara Castle, M.P., said that although she had not visited Israel, she had recently toured the Arab countries, and there she found, that the Arabs hated and feared Israel. From that point of view the danger to world peace was not diminished. But she was glad that the new State had been created, for it constituted a challenge to the Arabs, who were content with their ancient and unprogressive civilisation. Israel, which was passing through a transition period of economic difficulties and deserved the sympathy of all Socialists, would never itself be a danger to world peace.

DISCOVERIES OF HEBREW SCROLLS

By a JEWISH CHRONICLE *Reporter*

Discoveries of ancient Hebrew scrolls in recent years in the Desert of Judæa were discussed in the feature "Foreign Review" broadcast in the B.B.C. Third Programme last week.

Mr. Darsie Gillie, after reporting on recent publications about discoveries in Mari and Ras-Shamra, in Syria, told how in 1947 some Beduin had found in a cave in a hillside in the Judæan desert 11 ancient Hebrew scrolls, which they had offered to sell for £20. The scrolls were part of a library belonging to the Essene sect, and they were hidden about the time of the foundation of the Christian faith.

French and American archæologists followed up this discovery by instituting a search of the hillside. The Beduin also joined in the search. The library was apparently hidden in six caves, and the Beduin discovered the fragments of 70 scrolls, for which they asked £20,000. Eventually, they were bought by the Jordan Government for £15,000.

These fragments contained the Hebrew texts of books of the Old Testament, including Ruth, Samuel, Solomon, and Kings. They also included some texts of the Apocrypha.

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ACCUSATIONS IN SOVIET ENCYCLOPEDIA

Israel Described as "United States Colony"

By a Special Correspondent

The Zionist theme, carefully omitted from the Soviet Press since Stalin's death and the release of the doctors, has returned in the form of a six-page illustrated article just published in the seventeenth volume of the enlarged Soviet encyclopedia.

The article, which deals with Israel, alleges that the Jewish State, formed in 1948 on the basis of a decision by the United Nations, "was not the democratic and independent State which the Soviet delegation proposed." Israel, it states, has been converted into a "United States colony" and a strategic war base.

"Régime of Terror"

Saying that Israel is now populated overwhelmingly by Jewish immigrants "recruited in capitalist countries by Zionist agents through false propaganda," the article alleges that many immigrants are unemployed, forced to live in tents and barracks, and suffer "dire poverty." It goes on to say that "ruling circles in Israel have established a régime of terror" in respect of the Arab population and that part of the Arabs were "physically exterminated by the Zionists" and others forced to flee outside "the borders of their homeland."

The encyclopedia, which was most probably already printed at the time of Stalin's death, does not mention the rupture of diplomatic relations between Russia and Israel. It is significant that the information it provides follows the anti-Zionist and anti-Israel line adopted last year, which culminated in the alleged "doctors' plot." No less significant, perhaps, is the fact that in the Soviet Union, where many chapters in the encyclopedia had very frequently been rewritten to suit a change of policy and many names erased after publication because the persons mentioned have been disgraced, purged, or even liquidated, this chapter on Israel has been allowed to appear and given publicity.

In this connection, it is interesting to note that the attacks on Israel in the Communist Yiddish press in Poland continue, and that numerous articles and news reports are being published denouncing the Israeli Government as oppressive and the country as a satellite of foreign States. The Yiddish FOLKSSTIMME, of Warsaw, last month published several such attacks. On May 23, it carried on the front page a report under the title "The Ben-Gurion Government has surrendered Israel's natural wealth to American imperialists." Under this heading was published a report about an American Jewish economist who went to Israel as temporary adviser to the Premier, Mr. Ben-Gurion, on economic matters. Four days later, the same paper, also on the front page, printed the story of an American aeroplane which caught fire at Lydda Airport, under the heading "Shameful provocation against the fighters for peace in Israel."

FINNISH-ISRAELI TRADE RELATIONS

From our Correspondent

HELSINKI

Finland is to-day Israel's best customer, its imports from the Jewish State last year totalling £1,600,000 compared with £82,000 in 1949, it was announced here recently by Dr. A. Nissan, Israeli Minister to the Scandinavian countries. Finnish exports to Israel in 1952 amounted to £4,000,000 compared with £153,000 in 1949.

Dr. Nissan, who visited Helsinki in connection with the opening of the new Israeli Legation, was received by the Finnish Premier and Foreign Minister.

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U.J.A. AND BOND DRIVE

Agreement Reached

From our Own Correspondent

PARIS

Mr. Levi Eshkol, the Israeli Minister of Finance, who spent a few hours in Paris last week-end on his way home from a visit to the United States, announced in an interview for THE JEWISH CHRONICLE that an agreement in principle had been reached in America between the leaders of the Israeli Bond Drive and the United Jewish Appeal on a settlement of their long-standing differences.

It was planned to set up a "supreme command" in America for fund-raising activities on behalf of Israel, said the Minister, embodying both the U.J.A. and the bond drive. A single, unified "brains trust" would direct and co-ordinate the work of the two hitherto independent organisations. The possibility had also been broached of attaching to this supreme command the American bureaux for the promotion of private capital investments in Israel.

"I shall discuss these matters with my Cabinet colleagues in Israel," Mr. Eshkol added, "and I am quite certain, after my satisfactory talks with American Jewish leaders, that we are well on the way to a solution of the fund-raising problems in the United States."

FUND-RAISING IN U.S.A.

List of Authorised Groups

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

The Jewish Agency here has published a list of organisations authorised to conduct campaigns in America on behalf of Israel. The 12 organisations listed assure priority to the United Jewish Appeal as the main source of voluntary contributions for Israel's immigration, absorption, and colonisation programmes.

The organisations mentioned are the American Committee for the Weizmann Institute; American Friends of the Hebrew University; American Fund for Israel Institutions; American Red Mogen Dovid for Israel (membership campaign only); American Technion Society; Hadassah; J.N.F.; Materials for Israel (materials only); Mizrachi Women's Organisation; Histadrut Campaign; Pioneer Women; and the Women's League for Israel.

One organisation—the Federated Council of Israel Institutions, which collects funds for yeshivot and charitable institutions in Israel—has been dropped from the 1952 list. Authorisation was withdrawn because of criticism over the manner in which the Council is alleged to handle funds raised.

FIGHTING DISCRIMINATION AT UNIVERSITIES

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

Columbia University has decided to withdraw recognition from all students' organisations, except those representing religious groups, which deny membership to applicants on grounds of race, colour, or creed. The decision will become effective by October 1, 1960.

Similar action has already been taken by a number of other universities. At Connecticut University four of the 18 fraternities have severed ties with their national organisations as a result of the ban.

$150,000 GIFT TO JEWISH PUBLICATION SOCIETY

From our Correspondent

PHILADELPHIA

The Jewish Publication Society here has received $150,000 from the estate of Mr. Jacob R. Schiff, the New York banker and philanthropist, who died in 1948. One of the three trustees who voted for the gift was President Eisenhower, who at the time was President of Columbia University.

The money will be used to prepare a series of books on American Jewish history and biography. The first of the series will be published in 1954, when the American Jewish community celebrates its tercentenary.

STUDENTS' CONGRESS

From our Own Correspondent

PARIS

The World Union of Jewish Students has decided to hold its next congress in Jerusalem in August. It is expected that delegates will attend from Britain, France, Belgium, Holland, Switzerland, Italy, Austria, Germany, Scandinavia, the United States, Uruguay, and Israel.

NEW YORK—Fifty American rabbis are to learn the professional techniques of television and radio.—(J.C. Correspondent)

COMBATING BAPTISM OF CHILDREN

French Lawyer's Proposal

From our Own Correspondent

PARIS

The establishment of an international organisation to combat the alleged "Catholic practice of forcible baptism and abduction of children" was urged here this week by M. David Lambert, a well-known French Jewish lawyer and a leading member of the Committee for the Defence of the Finaly Family.

"We have received reports of cases in Belgium and Holland bearing an alarming resemblance to the Finaly affair," said M. Lambert. "There, as in France, the Church has indulged in baby-snatching, has flouted justice, and deliberately set itself above the State. In the circumstances, there appears to be no alternative to a vigorous international campaign against Catholic fanaticism."

There has been no further news of the Finaly children. A few days ago, the French Jesuit priest, Chaillet, renewed his promise of early restitution of the two boys; but even the professional optimists here have come to suggest that the "agreement" which the Church made with the Rabbinate was designed merely to mislead public opinion and to allay indignation. The latest excuse advanced by the Church for non-implementation of its pledge is the refusal of independent-minded Basque priests to bow to the will of their superiors; but unimpeachable information has been received here that the Spanish churchmen who have now assumed responsibility for the Finaly affair are not Basques at all.

In Algiers several newspapers rejected paid advertisements announcing a Jewish protest meeting on the Finaly affair. Six public halls refused to accommodate the meeting.

SYNAGOGUE FOR TOKYO COMMUNITY

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

The 200 members of the Tokyo Jewish community have acquired a mansion which is to be turned into a synagogue and communal centre, according to Col. H. D. Henshel, of the National Jewish Welfare Board, who has just returned here from a visit to the Far East.

The building was bought for $65,000 and an additional $35,000, it is estimated, will be required for alterations.

Colonel Henshel, who is Chairman of the Welfare Board's Armed Services Committee, said that the establishment of a permanent office of the Committee in Tokyo was under consideration. About 25,000 Jewish members of the United Nations forces pass through Tokyo annually. Many are stationed in the Tokyo area.

EGYPTIAN JEWS HONOUR RAMADHAN

From a Correspondent

The Council of the Cairo Jewish community this week invited hundreds of residents of the city to a banquet in honour of Ramadhan, the Moslem religious celebration. Many leading Moslems, Christians, and Jews attended. Mr. Clement Harari, a lawyer, who introduced the Chief Rabbi, said that Egyptian Jews were glad to support General Naguib, who had united all the Egyptian people, irrespective of creed or race in devotion to Egypt.

General Naguib's representative, Col. Ahmed Abdul Ghani, said that Egyptian Jews had always proved devoted and loyal to their homeland.

NAZI FUNDS IN FRANCE

From our Own Correspondent

PARIS

The French police have discovered an organisation here handling large sums of money left over by the German National Socialist Party. The discovery was made when a former Gestapo officer complained to the police that a Parisian stockbroker, André François, had fraudulently converted 37,000,000 francs (about £37,000) entrusted to him for illicit transfer abroad. The stockbroker has been arrested. Investigations into the affairs of the ex-Gestapo officer and his associates are continuing.

BONN—Professor Hans Juergen-Schlochhauer has been appointed West German representative on the permanent arbitration commission established under the Israeli-German reparations agreement.—(J.C. Correspondent)

DÜSSELDORF—An organisation representing all Jewish women's groups in Western Germany has been established here.—(J.C. Correspondent)

CELEBRATIONS IN ISTANBUL

Jewish Community's Participation

From our Correspondent

ISTANBUL

Turkish Jews are taking an active part in the celebrations to mark the 500th anniversary of the conquest of Constantinople by the Turks.

The Chief Rabbi, Raphael Saban, has issued a message paying tribute to the Turkish people for their tolerance towards all sections of the community and pointing out that since the city was occupied by the Turks, Jews have enjoyed complete freedom.

The Chief Rabbi and other Jewish communal leaders have attended the various celebrations held here this week.

Meanwhile, new details about the history of Constantinople (now Istanbul) Jewry have been disclosed. In a book published this week, Professor Abraham Galante, a well-known Jewish historian, referred to newly discovered documents which showed that there was a Jewish community in Constantinople in 318 C.E.—about 1,100 years before the Jews exiled from Spain settled here.

TURKISH IMPORTS FROM ISRAEL

From our Correspondent

ISTANBUL

The Turkish authorities have approved allocations for the import of cotton goods from Israel.

At the same time, the first consignment of cement from the Nesher Company has arrived here. Turkey is expected to import large quantities of cement from Israel for the construction of military establishments and airfields; local factories are unable to meet present requirements.

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JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS IN SOUTH AFRICA

Governor-General at Banquet

From our Correspondent

JOHANNESBURG

The celebrations to mark the 50th anniversary of the formation of the South African Jewish Board of Deputies began here last week with a banquet at the City Hill. Those present included the Governor-General of South Africa, Dr. Jansen, the Minister of Transport, Mr. Sauer, the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. Strauss, many Members of Parliament, the Mayor of Johannesburg, and Church dignitaries.

Mr. E. J. Horwitz, the Chairman of the Board, stressed the need for fraternity among all sections of the population. As far as the Jews were concerned, he said, they had always recognised that their own happiness was bound up with the happiness of the country as a whole.

Recalling the contributions made by Jews towards the development of the Union, Mr. Horwitz said it was their earnest desire to join in true fellowship with all South Africans to make their common land a happy country to live in, a land in which right with justice should prevail and where there should be peace and security for all.

Dr. Jansen said he was pleased with the Jewish community's expression of loyalty for "this much maligned country." It was essential, he said, to eliminate mutual distrust between the various sections of the population.

Mr. Sauer, congratulating the Board on behalf of the Government, referred to the spiritual affinity between Afrikaners and Jews, both of whom, he said, regard religion as a way of life. The Afrikaners, as a young nation, admired Jewish respect for ancient tradition. He expressed the hope that Afrikaners and Jews, despite their different backgrounds, would work together for the future welfare of South Africa.

When the jubilee Congress of the Board began on Friday delegates unanimously adopted a resolution offering the loyal greetings of the South African Jewish community to the Queen.

In his opening address, Mr. Horwitz said they could note with satisfaction the big improvement in relations between the Jewish community and all sections of the population in recent years. There was now a general spirit of friendliness and good will between the Jewish community and all other sections of the population.

During the debate, Mr. S. M. Kuper, Q.C., Chairman of the South African Zionist Federation, said he wished to dispel rumours that the Federation wished to "capture" the Board.

At its closing session the Congress adopted a resolution placing on record its conviction that the welfare of all sections of the population depended on the maintenance of democratic institutions and the enjoyment of freedom and justice by all. It believed that the elimination of inter-group conflict and the abatement of racial prejudice were vital for the national good, and urged the support of efforts directed to those ends.

In spite of some opposition, the Congress decided to launch another united communal fund, with a target figure of £750,000 for the next two years.

Mr. I. A. Maisels, Q.C., was elected President of the new Executive Council.

[An article on the history of the Board appears on page 15.]

CANADIAN SEFARDI SYNAGOGUE

185th Anniversary Celebrated

From our Correspondent

MONTREAL

Shearith Israel, the Spanish and Portuguese Congregation of Montreal, recently celebrated its 185th anniversary at a dinner attended by the Mayor of the city and Jewish communal leaders. Rabbi Solomon Frank, minister of the congregation, and Rabbi Irving Miller, President of the Zionist Organisation of America, gave addresses.

In connection with the anniversary, Mr Samuel Rosenberg, President of the congregation, announced that the cornerstone of the second house of worship erected by the congregation in 1835 on Chenneville Street had recently been discovered in a Montreal monument shop. When the building was demolished the stone was sold to the monument engraver, who was unaware of its historic connections until its discovery by Mr. Rosenberg.

The site of the first home of the congregation on St. James Street, in the heart of old Montreal, is marked by a plaque erected by the Montreal Historical and Numismatic Society. The third home of the congregation, on Stanley Street, was only recently vacated by the synagogue. The new home of Shearith Israel is in the north-west Snowdon district. A community centre and a school are already functioning on the new site as well as the synagogue itself. A larger structure is being planned.

ISRAEL-CANADA TRADE

Purchasing Agreement

From our Correspondent

MONTREAL

An agreement giving details governing purchases in Canada to the extent of several million dollars annually has been signed here between the Government of Israel Supply Mission and the Canada-Israel Corporation, which was set up by the Canadian Jewish Congress and the Zionist Organisation of Canada to increase trade between Canada and Israel.

The Canadian Corporation will finance the purchase of Canadian goods on behalf of the Supply mission, the Jewish Agency, and other Israeli importers, advise the Mission on Canadian suppliers, and assist in shipping arrangements. Credit arrangements to the extent of nearly $3,000,000 have already been made by the Corporation in Canada on a short-term basis. It is expected that goods valued at $6,000,000 will be exchanged annually through the operations of the Corporation.

SYNAGOGUE WINDOWS AGAIN SMASHED

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

For the seventh time since its erection in 1951, windows of the Jewish Centre and Synagogue at Fresh Meadows, New York, have been smashed by vandals. The latest attack caused damage estimated at $800 (about £300). The police are investigating the latest attack.

EGYPT EXPELS STATELESS JEW

From a Correspondent

The Egyptian Government has expelled Mr. Sofi Joseph, a Stateless Jew, who was for ten years manager of the Mena House Hotel in Cairo, which is owned by Jews. Mr. Joseph is now in Italy.

British Inquiries

By a Diplomatic Correspondent

The British authorities in Cairo are pursuing their inquiries into the Egyptian Government's recent decision to deport a number of British subjects, including Jews, it is learned from an authoritative source.

Among those ordered to leave the country recently were Mr. Jacques Maleh, the JEWISH CHRONICLE correspondent in Cairo, and Mr. C. E. Rolander, manager of the Semiramis Hotel.

Although perturbed at the Egyptian Government's action, Britain, it is understood, does not at present contemplate complaining formally to the Egyptians even though the latter appear to be determined to expel or remove from their posts all foreigners, including Jews, holding key posts in Egypt. The Foreign Office would, however, reconsider the position should there be any maltreatment by the Egyptians of British subjects held for deportation.

ELIMINATING BIAS FROM ADVERTISING

From our Correspondent

WASHINGTON

Washington's four daily newspapers have agreed to eliminate from their real estate and employment advertising all terminology which appears to indicate religious discrimination.

The newspapers will bar the use of such terms as "restricted," "selected," "Gentile," "Protestant," "Catholic," "Christian," "Jewish," and other terms showing intent of discrimination in housing or employment. The newspapers decided to initiate this policy after conferences with representatives of the local Jewish Community Council.

NOTTING HILL DEATHS

A Jewish Victim

From our Correspondent

VIENNA

Among the bodies found recently in a house at Rillington Place, Notting Hill, was that of Ruth Margarete Fuerst, a refugee from Austria.

It is now learned here that Miss Fuerst was the daughter of a Jewish painter. She went to England before the war, while her father emigrated to the United States.

After a period of internment Miss Fuerst was released in 1942. She moved to Notting Hill Gate and worked as a nurse. Her parents, with whom she used to correspond regularly, have not heard from her since 1943. Until her body was found recently the police thought she might have been among those killed in 1943 when a German bomb hit a bus in Notting Hill.

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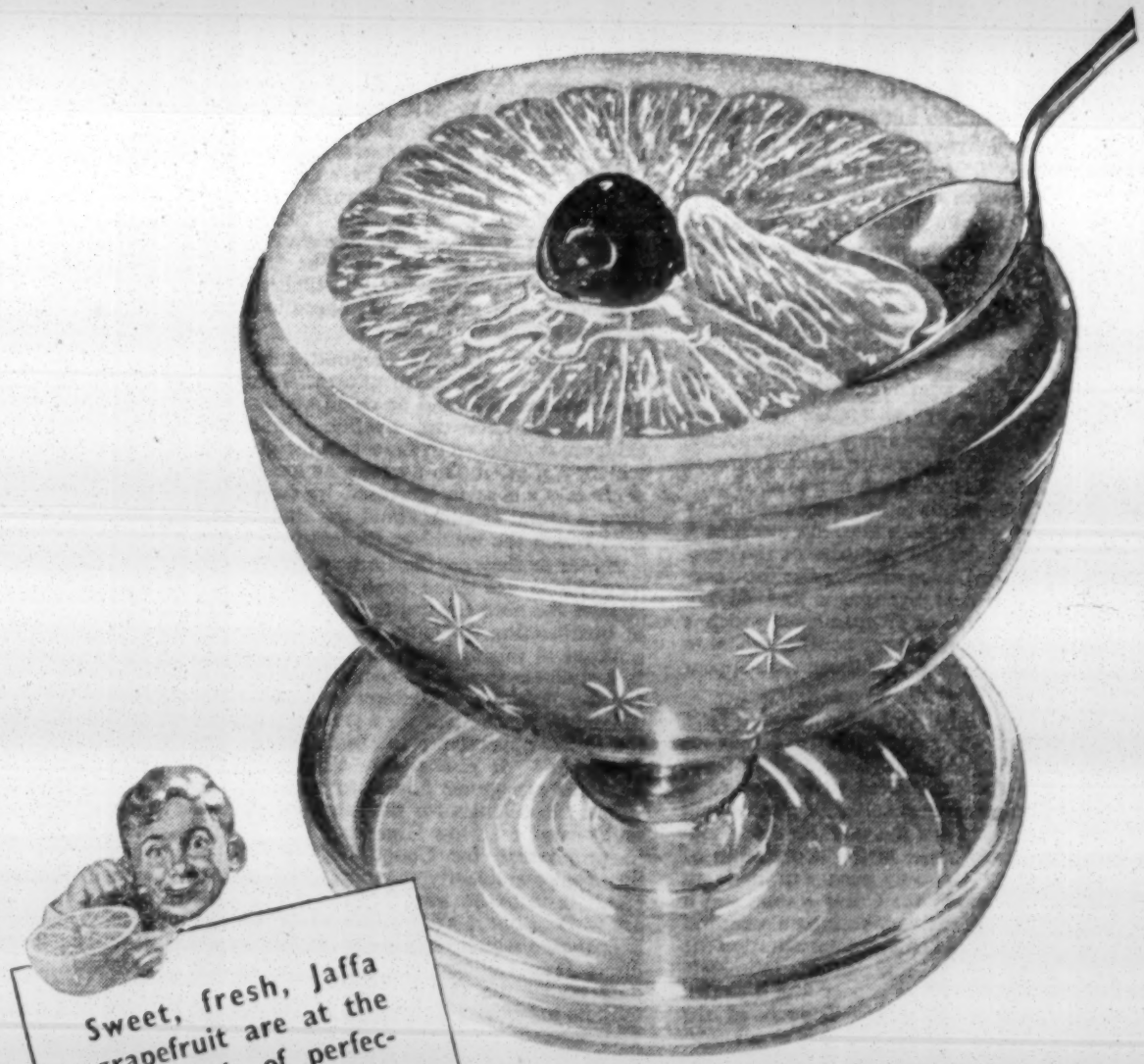

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BETH DIN INQUIRY

"Judges and officers shalt thou make thee in all thy gates . . . and they shall judge the people with just judgment."

Deut. xvi, 18.

THE question of the proposed committee of inquiry into the administration of the Beth Din and the functions of the Dayanim will probably come up at the meeting of the Council of the United Synagogue on Monday next. It will be recalled that invitations to serve on such a committee were sent out two or three weeks ago by the United Synagogue to a number of gentlemen. The real seriousness of the method adopted may not be fully appreciated. In the leading article in our issue of May 1 this year, which followed on the case of Saunderson *versus* the Beth Din and others, attention was drawn to certain weaknesses which had become apparent on the administrative side at the Beth Din. We suggested that the CHIEF RABBI, as President of the Beth Din, should invite one who is not only outside the battle, as it were, but is also an outstanding jurist and an administrator of distinction, to hold an inquiry. His report could then be available for consideration not only by the Beth Din but also by the Council of the United Synagogue and by the community at large. An independent inquiry of this nature would clearly be the most satisfactory method of approach, relieving all the bodies or persons who might be concerned of any invidiousness.

As far as we are aware, however, the CHIEF RABBI has not yet taken the step suggested, although we feel that where a *prima facie* case has been made out for an inquiry, an inquiry should be held. In the meantime, the Honorary Officers of the United Synagogue have stepped in, presumably independently, without the prior request or the concurrence of the CHIEF RABBI. Such a course, if pursued, can only result in lowering the dignity and prestige of the Beth Din, inasmuch as it will appear to the lay members of the community that the Dayanim are under the direction of the United Synagogue and do not possess that degree of independence which is absolutely essential to every court called upon to determine the rights of those who appear before it to obtain justice.

A court which has lost, or appears to have lost, its independence cannot continue to function. We do not believe that those responsible for the recent invitations to a United Synagogue committee of inquiry will fail to appreciate that the way they have suggested will only assist in the denigration of the Beth Din. The only person to invite an inquiry is obviously the CHIEF RABBI, and it may well be that, while insisting on a neutral chairman, he would call into consultation the United Synagogue and other intimately associated bodies. The proper and dignified course, therefore, for the Council of the United Synagogue on Monday is to acknowledge this situation and instead pass a resolution asking the CHIEF RABBI himself, as President of the Beth Din, to take the necessary steps to establish an independent inquiry.

RECRUITMENT OF MINISTERS

IT is a far cry from the rich solemnities enacted in Westminster Abbey on Tuesday to the "Report on the Recruitment of Candidates for the Anglo-Jewish Ministry" which will be considered by the Council of the United Synagogue on Monday. Readers who followed the ceremony cannot fail to have been struck by the central part in the ceremony played by dignitaries of the Church of England, and they may have contrasted the estate upon which any recruit to the Anglican priesthood may set his heart with the functions open to a rabbi in our own small community; but they may have thought, too, of the compelling simplicity with which one of the prayers in the Coronation Service gives expression to the combination of attributes to be sought in the Jewish ministry also: the prayer that the realm be blessed with a "devout, learned, and useful clergy."

The Report to which allusion has been made arises from concern not in the first place as to the attributes of, but as to the rate of recruitment to, the Jewish Ministry. In November, 1951, the Council of the United Synagogue invited Jews' College to co-operate in forming a sub-committee "to investigate this matter, which is of such serious concern to the future of the Anglo-Jewish community, with a view to making practical recommendations to remedy the situation." The Report is not a strong document. None of the evidence is published, and though reference is made to a questionnaire circulated to University students nothing is stated about its contents or about the contents of the replies. The Committee emphasises the importance of the question of status as affecting the Ministry, but merely suggests the setting up of another committee and offers a couple of lines of advice to the synagogues.

The inadequacies of the Committee's approach are revealed particularly when it deals with the reasons for the shortage of recruits for the Ministry. Touching upon the "Religious Factor" it observes—quite rightly—that the number of parents who "are anxious that their sons shall adopt a career in which the Sabbath and Festivals can be strictly observed" has lessened and—perhaps less correctly—that "There does not appear to be . . . the sense of a call to service for Judaism." Unorthodoxy goes much deeper, and the Committee would have come nearer the heart of the problem had it shown an insight into the serious doubts about some of the traditional religious institutions among a substantial section of the younger generation. There also appears to be some confusion of thought when the Committee deals with the "Economic Factor" as a reason for the shortage of recruits. Surely account must be taken of the greatly increased opportunities for University and professional education now made available by the State?

Apart from this the Committee, in considering the rate of recruitment, seems to have allowed its mind to dwell on quantity to the exclusion of quality. Statistical evidence is adduced to show that the problem will be solved if the average annual intake to Jews' College is increased by two. But figures reveal nothing about the standard of tests which the would-be student must pass.

As far as they go, the Committee's recommendations are quite practical. It rightly stresses the need for insistence on a standard of qualification for entry to the Ministry as a means of raising its status. It also stresses that students should be encouraged to work for the Rabbinical Diploma and that after obtaining it "a man . . . should be given the fullest opportunity to exercise rabbinical functions." It also rightly emphasises the need for synagogue bodies to seek out and sponsor candidates for the ministry and we understand that the Honorary Officers are to propose to the Council of the United Synagogue eminently practical steps to this end. It is to be hoped that when details are worked out it will be found that nothing is proposed which will weaken the corporate life of Jews' College. Any such move would only hinder the cause which the Honorary Officers are obviously concerned to advance. The dangers would be less acute were the locale of Jews' College outside Woburn House, and obviously a college enjoying an independent status in dignified premises of its own could of itself help to attract young men to the ministry. That is one of the objects of the Jews' College Centenary Appeal, and it is to be hoped that consideration of the whole subject of the recruitment of ministers will result in greater support for that important cause.

THE HONORARY OFFICERS

BY a coincidence two important synagogue bodies which do not always march in step will meet on Monday to elect Honorary Officers. The Council of the United Synagogue, proceeding with strict constitutionality, will elect officers for the ensuing two years. For the three senior places there will be no contest, but it appears that for the offices of Treasurer, Overseer of the Poor, and Treasurer of the Burial Society candidates in opposition to the "official list" have offered themselves. As pointed out in these columns recently, contested elections have been unusual in the United Synagogue, but it is an institution strong enough to face a series of contests, and, if anything, it stands to gain from the stimulation of interest in its affairs. The electoral processes of the Federation of Synagogues are rather more erratic, but when its Council is called upon on Monday to choose between two opposing factions it will be facing a not unprecedented situation. The candidates appear to be grouped around the two contestants for the Presidency: Dr. BERNARD HOMA, L.C.C., and Mr. M. LEDERMAN. Dr. HOMA has a considerable record of public service, both within and beyond the Jewish community, and there are associated with him, as candidates for the two Vice-Presidencies, Mr. ABA BORNSTEIN, the well-known Mizrachi leader, and Mr. SAMUEL COHEN, an accountant whose experience could be of great assistance to the Federation's administration. The merits of these gentlemen, as of Mr. STEINHART, the retiring Treasurer of the Burial Society, are obvious, and every well-wisher of the Federation must hope to see them returned. This is so even apart from the special circumstances attending Mr. LEDERMAN'S attempt to regain the Presidency of the Federation. It will be recalled that towards the end of last year the Board of Shechita suddenly felt the need for an assistant poultry supervisor, and that Mr. LEDERMAN, then President of the Federation, was brought forward as the sole candidate for that position. The Ecclesiastical Authorities ruled that "It is not in order for any employee of the Board to be either an Hon. Officer or a member of the Executive of a parent body of the Board of Shechita." On receiving the appointment Mr. LEDERMAN'S resignation from the Federation Presidency therefore took effect, and now at the election to fill the vacancy thus created, he offers himself as a candidate! Some explanation is needed, and not to the Federation alone. It may be of interest to note that Mr. LEDERMAN holds a second salaried position as Headmaster of the South Hackney Talmud Torah. How the duties of that position can be joined with an office which calls for attendance at numerous evening meetings is another matter which the Council of the Federation should bear in mind.

CORONATION HONOURS

ALL the splendid and historic ceremonies which formed part of last Tuesday's Coronation Service in Westminster Abbey were designed to stress the mutual duties and obligations which should subsist between Sovereign and people. The keynote was a reciprocity of service and devotion. And complementary to the Royal dignities then bestowed upon the QUEEN have been the Coronation Honours which HER MAJESTY has graciously conferred. The Crown symbolises the union of all races, creeds, and classes within the British Commonwealth. In the Coronation Honours list the rich diversity of our common fellowship as British citizens finds appropriate reflection. Recognition is there given to faithful service rendered by persons of many communities and varied vocations. Several Jews figure among those who in the Civil Service and other spheres have contributed to the administration of public affairs and to the industrial and economic life of the nation and the Commonwealth. Deserving of special mention in these columns are those who have also been active on behalf of Jewish causes. It is particularly gratifying to note the award of the O.B.E. to the Rev. ISAAC LEVY, the Minister of the Hampstead Synagogue and the Senior Jewish Chaplain to H.M. Forces. During the war Mr. LEVY was Senior Jewish Chaplain to the Middle East Forces and to the British Army of the Rhine. It is right to be reminded of the splendid contribution of Jews to the Armed Forces of the Crown and the official regard that is shown for their religious welfare. Mr. LEONARD STEIN'S O.B.E. will be welcomed by a host of friends, who admire the outstanding gifts of mind and heart which he has so ungrudgingly devoted to the work of the Anglo-Jewish Association and other organisations. The knighthood conferred on Colonel LOUIS GLUCKSTEIN, Q.C., honours one whose Jewish activities have included the important and responsible duties devolving upon the President of the Liberal Jewish Synagogue and the Commandant of the Jewish Lads' Brigade. The O.B.E. bestowed on the Dowager Lady SWAYTHLING, Hon. President of the Jewish Lads' Brigade and daughter of its never-to-be-forgotten founder, Colonel A. E. GOLDSMID, underlines the splendid contribution of our women to public and communal endeavour.

About Books

HEBREW MARRIAGE

Hebrew Marriage. By DAVID R. MACE. *Epworth Press.* 21s.

Reviewed by Rabbi I. JAKOBOVITS

Among the symptoms, and perhaps causes, of some of the maladies afflicting our age there is the increasing divorce of profound scholarship from the administration of society, and the progressive control of human affairs by technical experts who are knowledgeable in strictly confined spheres. Guidance on social relations and problems, in their public as well as in their most intimate personal aspects, is being sought less from morally and historically trained mentors than from sociologists, psychologists, penologists, and a variety of other masters of facts, figures, and statistics. The complex social and intellectual faculties of man often tend to be treated as if they could be analysed or compounded in a test-tube, without an understanding of the highly intricate historical processes which have produced our present-day order of life and its perplexities. Dr. Mace's book is a masterly challenge to this dangerous tendency.

The author is widely known for his popular literary and practical activities in the field of marriage guidance. He has now also revealed himself as a Bible scholar of notable erudition and great insight. The most extraordinary feature of this book is the motive which, as the preface informs us, prompted its composition. "Deeply convinced that we were about to witness a serious crisis in marriage," the author embarked on the ambitious project of studying the fundamental origins of our traditions in this field, and he turned to the Old Testament and its antecedents in order "to clarify and analyse the factors which had governed the history of marriage and the family, and our attitude to sex generally, in Western society." Though the present volume is only "a small part of the work" contemplated by Dr. Mace, it opens up a refreshingly new line of approach to sociologico-Biblical studies.

Pattern of Society

The book is divided almost equally into two parts: the early origins and evolution of Hebrew society as a segment of the ancient Semitic pattern, and a thorough inquiry into all facets of marriage in the Old Testament period. The work is liberally interspersed with judicious quotations from a wide range of modern cognate literature. In his historical analysis the author unquestioningly accepts the up-to-date views of higher Biblical criticism, and he relies almost exclusively on non-Jewish scholars in his interpretation of Biblical sources. There are, however, some occasional references to the subsequent development of his themes in the Talmud.

The greatest interest, particularly for Jewish readers, will be found in the author's summary of his conclusions. Among these, special emphasis should be given to his impression that "the Hebrews were probably as devoted to the principle of monogamy as we are," and that the common belief in their widespread practice of polygamy is "inaccurate and unjust." He is also struck by the notable absence in the Old Testament of any kind of sexual asceticism; this came to him as "an unexpected discovery." On the status of the Hebrew wife, he finds the view that she was little better than a chattel of her husband "gravely inaccurate and mischievous," and he is doubtful "whether the wife has ever enjoyed a better status in Christian society than she did in Old Testament times."

There may be little originality in the treatment of individual subjects; yet the book is in many ways *sui generis* and promises to inaugurate a most welcome, and perhaps crucial, reorientation in our views on the relevance of Biblical research to modern social problems. As an Old Testament study, its importance derives less from the light it sheds on the scriptural text and its meaning than from the practical purpose assigned to the investigation. As a sociological study its value lies not so much in its conclusions as in its implied recognition of the place which the ancient Jewish heritage must occupy in contemporary thought and practice, if marriage, as the basic unit of society, is to survive its present trials. This judgment comes from a thinker who combines academic scholarship with wide practical experience; it merits the attention of all who are concerned at the growing breakdown of family life.

Britannica Book of the Year 1953 (Encyclopædia Britannica, £3 3s.) is an indispensable reference book with a wealth of articles and illustrations covering the events of 1952. Among the articles are Israel, by David Kessler; Jerusalem, by Norman Bentwich; World Jewry, by Israel Cohen; and Jordan and Arab League, by Owen Tweedy. Biographical articles include the late President Weizmann and President Ben-Zvi; and two of last year's Nobel prize-winners, Felix Bloch and Selman A. Waksman. The march of history is represented in the lives of Queen Elizabeth II and the late King George VI.

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THE CROWNING OF THE QUEEN

By JOHN M. SHAFTESLEY

"IN the morning upon the day of the Coronation early, care is to be taken that the Ampulla is filled with the Oil for the anointing, and, together with the Spoon, be laid ready upon the Altar. . . ."

Thus begins the Form and Order of Service of the Coronation of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II; from the first sentence, the solemn but joyful ceremonial is informed through and through with the ancient Biblical style and meaning. The spirit of the Old Testament shines from it, and the reminiscent sonority of the original Scriptural Hebrew came irresistibly to the mind as the mellow voice of the Archbishop of Canterbury, taking up the familiar Psalms and priestly benedictions, resounded through the superb setting of Westminster Abbey, at the ceremony on Tuesday. Although the prayers and service in general are, of course, Christian in form and content, the Coronation and the ritual attendant on it hark back unquestionably to the accounts of the crowning of the Hebrew kings, and are consciously based on them.

Noble Spiritual Event

On great occasions man's innermost compulsion is to turn to prayer. Some deeper instinct, transcending thought itself, moves him, whether he possesses a creed or not, to acknowledge the need to seek the guidance and inspiration of a higher Power in moments out of the ordinary. Over 7,000 people in the Abbey felt the emotion of a high occasion—felt, indeed, how right it was that the Queen should dedicate herself to her people in this way, with as witnesses the brilliant multitude that had assembled. So noble a spiritual event deserved no less than this whole and unmatched brilliance. "And the Lord magnified Solomon exceedingly" is the apt precedent—fitting symbols are the means whereby we impress great truths more deeply into our minds.

The most important symbols are those of sovereignty. And each has its special meaning—anointing, crown, sceptre, sword, ring, bracelet, all with Biblical warrant reaching farther back even than British history itself. The genius of British constitutional practice, like that of ancient Jewish tradition, does not easily surrender to "rationalist" pressure. We do not lightly discard our old traditions. There is something precious and significant about them, a persistent quality that claims and receives an unmeasured reverence.

Their own rich adornments, and the gleaming rays of the batteries of arc-lamps set high up on the Abbey's graceful and aspiring arches, reflecting resplendently from the gold plate and the regalia below (brought in dignity from the appropriately named Jerusalem Chamber), served to enhance the reverence with which the great congregation met the flow of events. After the procession of representatives of foreign States, in which Israel had its due place for the first time, came the accumulating glory of the three Royal processions which, with pauses, entered to take their appointed places. First, the Princes and Princesses of the Blood Royal, then Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother and Princess Margaret, with their attendants, and then, with trumpets, organ, and orchestra reaching a massive crescendo, the entrance of the procession of the Queen, whose slight, humble, but glowing figure was greeted by the choir with Psalm cxxxii, 1-3, 6, 7:

> "I was glad when they said unto me, We will go into the house of the Lord. Our feet shall stand in thy gates, O Jerusalem. Jerusalem is built as a city that is at unity in itself. O pray for the peace of Jerusalem: they shall prosper that love thee. Peace be within thy walls, and plenteousness within thy palaces."

. . . שמחתי באמר ם לי—from the *Shir Hamaalot* in our Afternoon Service for Sabbaths.

The Recognition

Then came the Recognition, when the Archbishop, with the four chief Officers of State, presented the Queen to the multitude successively in the East, South, West, and North, to be met by the glad cry each time in response, "God save Queen Elizabeth." Fifty years ago, in an essay on the subject, the Rev. Simeon Singer, the famous translator of "Singer's" Prayer Book, suggested a parallel with the manner in which Samuel presented Saul to Israel, and the priest Jehoiada presented the boy king Joash to the men of Judah. In I Samuel xi, 24, it is written: "And Samuel said to all the people, See ye him whom the Lord hath chosen. . . . And all the people shouted, and said, God save the King"; and in II Kings xi, 12, a similar scene is enacted with regard to Joash.

After taking the solemn oath of the Sovereign, during which she kissed the great Bible (which had before been carried in the procession of religious dignitaries), Queen Elizabeth was then, as she sat in her Chair of State, presented with the Holy Bible, richly bound in red and white leather—"the most valuable thing that this world affords," in the prescribed words as spoken by the Archbishop. The Moderator of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, who takes part in this particular ceremony, then added: "Here is Wisdom; This is the royal Law; These are the lively Oracles of God." All this has been anticipated in the law in Deuteronomy xvii, 18-20:

> "And it shall be, when he [a king] sitteth upon the throne of his kingdom, that he shall write him a copy of this law in a book . . . And it shall be with him, and he shall read therein all the days of his life; that he may learn to fear the Lord his God, to keep all the words of this law and these statutes, to do them: That his heart be not lifted up above his brethren, and that he turn not aside from the commandment, to the right hand, or to the left."

So also with Joash, as mentioned above, "[Jehoiada] put the crown upon him, and gave him the testimony."

Psalm Recitation

The Christian Communion Service which followed, conducted by the Archbishop, opened with Psalm lxxxiv, 9, 10:

> "Behold, O God our defender: and look upon the face of thine Anointed. For one day in thy courts is better than a thousand."

The section known as the Gradual was chanted, from Psalm cxli (2):

> "Let my prayer come up into thy presence as the incense: and let the lifting up of my hands be as an evening sacrifice. Alleluia."

So important is the next part—the Anointing—considered in the Form and Order of an English Coronation that the section devoted to it contains by far the longest and most complicated ceremonial of all in the two-and-a-half-hour service. It is easy to see whence the ceremonial is derived, for it was the famous means by which Aaron was hallowed by Moses and the Kings of Israel were sanctified by the priests before the assembled people. Do we not recall also the parable of Jonathan (Judges ix), when "the trees went forth on a time to anoint a king over them"? And did not David, when he might have injured Saul, make his notable declaration: "I will not put forth my hand against . . . the Lord's anointed" (I Samuel xxiv, 10)?

The prayer which followed the choral chanting of an introductory hymn began:

> "O Lord and heavenly Father, the exalter of the humble and the strength of thy chosen, who by anointing with Oil didst of old make and consecrate kings, priests, and prophets, to teach and govern thy people Israel: Bless and sanctify thy chosen servant ELIZABETH, who by our office and ministry is now to be anointed with this Oil, and consecrated Queen."

With the people standing, the choir then sang resoundingly, to Handel's jubilant music, and with pæans of glory in their voices:

> "Zadok the priest and Nathan the prophet anointed Solomon king: and all the people rejoiced and said: God save the king. Long live the king. May the king live for ever. Amen. Hallelujah." (I Kings i, 39, 40.)
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> "Hallelujah, Hallelujah, Hallelujah . . ." repeated the choir, rejoicing exceedingly.

Anointing Preparation

Before the Archbishop carried out the anointing, there was a short time of solemn preparation. The Lord Great Chamberlain and the Mistress of the Robes divested the Queen of her magnificent velvet train, her glittering necklace and tiara, after she had engaged in private devotions. The Queen, now simply attired in white, went slowly to take her place in the Coronation Chair, beneath which lies "Jacob's Stone," and four Knights of the Garter carried towards her a canopy made of rich cloth of gold. Irresistibly one's thoughts turned to the *Chuppa* and the marriage of Sovereign and State. Then the Archbishop, assisted by the Dean of Westminster, who held the "horn of oil"—the Ampulla—as well as the Spoon, and once more proclaiming the affinity with Zadok, Nathan, and Solomon, anointed Her Majesty on hands, breast, and head.

Only then was the Queen arrayed in the long tunic and girdle of gold and a wide golden cloak, embroidered with the symbols of these Isles. Now came the presentation of the symbols of the Sovereign's power, all again in Biblical tradition. Golden spurs and the Swords of State, with which she was adjured to do justice and stop the growth of iniquity, reminded us once more of the Psalms (xlv, 4, 5):

> "Gird thy sword upon thy thigh, O mighty one, with thy glory and thy majesty. And in thy majesty ride prosperously, because of truth, meekness, and righteousness."

Royal authority was again implied in the investing of the Armills, the massive golden bracelets which the Archbishop placed upon the Queen's wrists. II Samuel i, 10, tells us of the incident of the messenger who brought David news of the death of Israel's first king, Saul: "And I took the crown that was upon his head, and the bracelet that was upon his arm, and have brought them hither to my lord." Authority, too, resided in the Ring placed upon the Queen's finger, as well as sealing the symbolic "marriage" of the Sovereign with her people. (Pharaoh transferred royal authority to Joseph by giving him a ring, as also did Ahasuerus to Haman and Mordecai.) With the ring she was dedicated to the welfare of the many peoples of the Commonwealth, a dedication which led naturally to the investing of her then with the two Sceptres, the one (with a cross), as Singer has it, signifying kingly power and justice, and the other, with the dove, signifying equity and mercy. "The two sceptres are combined in the insignia of the Divine Shepherd in Psalm xxiii: 'Thy rod and Thy staff shall comfort me.'" Jacob's address to his son Judah ("The sceptre shall not depart from thee . . ." [Genesis, xlix, 10]) is also cited as a parallel.

The Grand Climax

The climax, as in all coronations, came with the putting on of the Crown. Slowly and with great care, the Archbishop raised St. Edward's crown and reverently placed it on the bowed head of Elizabeth II. The Coronation, to all intents and purposes, was completed, as acclamation sprang spontaneously from the lips of the whole congregation: **"God save the Queen."** But the rest of the proceedings—Exhortation, Benediction, Enthroning, and Homage, all had their echoes, to the Jewish ear, of Hebraic prayer:

> "Be strong and of good courage. . . ." "The Lord bless you and keep you. . . ." "Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of hosts, heaven and earth are full of thy glory. Glory be to thee, O Lord most high" (the *Kedusha* . . . קדוש קדוש קדוש). . . And from Psalm 34,
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> "O taste, and see, how gracious the Lord is: blessed is the man that trusteth in him."

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SOUTH AFRICAN BOARD'S JUBILEE

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT—Johannesburg

THE idea of establishing a Jewish Board of Deputies in South Africa was first raised 50 years ago, on March 29, 1903, when a meeting was called in Johannesburg to create a branch of the Anglo-Jewish Association. The meeting felt, however, that the formation of such a branch would not meet local requirements. Instead, it decided to form a Board of Deputies of the Transvaal.

A special meeting was called on April 15, 1903, at which the Transvaal Jewish Board of Deputies was formed. The Hon. Mr. Max Langerman was elected Chairman, and the resolution to form the Board was proposed by the late Chief Rabbi, Dr. Hertz, and seconded by Dr. A. Abelheim. At a subsequent meeting the name of the organisation was changed to the Jewish Board of Deputies for the Transvaal and Natal.

Appeal for Kishinev Jews

Although the Board was formed with the purpose of "watching and taking action with reference to all matters affecting the welfare of Transvaal and Natal Jews as a community," the newly founded organisation immediately realised its responsibility towards Jewry as a whole, and one of its first actions was to issue an appeal for the victims of the pogroms in Kishinev.

The Board received public recognition at a special meeting on July 8, 1903. The meeting was addressed by Lord Milner, then High Commissioner, and by Rabbi Hertz. Lord Milner praised the devotion of the Jews to the Colony, and urged support for the Jewish immigrants who came from countries where they had been oppressed.

One of the first actions of the Board was to aid the immigrants and help them to obtain naturalisation. It also dealt with any infringement of the citizenship rights of members of the Jewish community.

In September, 1904, at the initiative of Mr. Morris Alexander, who later became a prominent member of the South African Parliament, a Jewish Board of Deputies was formed in the Cape. In 1912 it merged with the Transvaal Board, and the joint body became the South African Jewish Board of Deputies. The merger was achieved at a conference held at Bloemfontein Town Hall and convened by Senator W. Ehrlich, then President of the Bloemfontein Hebrew Congregation. It was intended to form a body which would also represent Rhodesia, but it was found that for political reasons the new Board could serve only the Union.

The emergence of a Jewish representative organisation came at an opportune moment. While, during the first two years of its existence, the Board was engaged mainly in assisting newly arrived immigrants, at the outbreak of the First World War the new body was confronted with important tasks, particularly in combating slanders alleging that Jews were not doing their share in the war effort. The need to compile lists of South African Jews on Active Service was immediately realised. A Jewish statistical bureau was established in Cape Town, and it collected the names of some 2,400 Jewish volunteers. It was estimated, however, that about 3,000 of the 50,000 Jews in South Africa were serving with the Forces.

The Chairman of the Board, Mr. Bernard Alexander, joined the Central Recruiting Committee, and members of the community addressed recruiting meetings. A special recruiting conference was also called in April, 1918, at which over 70 Jewish institutions were represented.

After the First World War the South African Board suggested to the Conjoint Foreign Committee in London that communities in the Dominions should interview their Prime Ministers Jewish claims at the Peace Conference, in order to enlist their support for The Board also assisted in the formation of the War Victims' Fund, which rendered great service and did much to improve the lot of Jewish victims of the First World War. It was, perhaps, through this fund that South African Jewry was placed on the map of the world Jewish community. Closer contact was established with communities in other lands, and the aid of General Smuts was sought in connection with the persecution of Jews in Poland and Galicia.

Immigration and Antisemitism

During the years immediately following the First World War the Board dealt effectively with various restrictions on immigration directed specifically against Jews. During the 1922 Rebellion there was a wave of antisemitic allegations throughout South Africa that Russian Jews were the main instigators of the revolt. The British Board of Deputies took up the matter with the South African Board and a letter refuting the allegation was published in the London press, over the signature of Lord Rothschild.

In the following years there was a gradual increase in the Jewish population and a steady development in Jewish communal life. With the growth of the community the Board grew in stature. The rise of Hitlerism had its repercussions in South Africa. First, there was a considerable amount of immigration of German Jews necessitating social relief, and defence against attacks by various bodies against the newcomers. Secondly, South Africa saw the dangerous rise of various uniformed "shirt" movements. The official Opposition at the time was also tainted with antisemitism. The Board developed a public relations organisation and machinery, and its material was distributed in English and Afrikaans.

At the outbreak of the Second World War the Board lent its aid to the war effort. In a country where military service was voluntary, the Board encouraged recruiting among members of the Jewish community, assisted soldiers and their families, and provided a chaplaincy organisation and other facilities.

It also dealt with various groups of refugees who happened to find themselves at various stages of the war on the sub-continent of Southern Africa.

Throughout the war the Board succeeded in maintaining the unity of the Jewish community. Although in other directions, such as congregational and educational activities, there were differences between the communities of the Cape and the Transvaal, the Board continued to enjoy the support of all Jews in South Africa. The Board was also responsible for the establishment of the South African Jewish Appeal, which has made an outstanding contribution towards the welfare of Jewish refugees and other victims of Nazism.

In recent years, and particularly as a result of the decline of antisemitism, the Board has turned its attention to internal Jewish affairs. Questions of adult education, the spiritual welfare of small and dwindling country communities, and the problem of enlightening university students, have engaged the attention of the Board's leaders for some time past. The weak position of the Rabbinate, at least until a few years ago, placed an added burden on the Board. It was called upon to deal with matters such as the provision of *etrogim* and the rationing of matzot, which normally would have been dealt with by rabbinical authorities. The recent strengthening of the Federation of Synagogues of the Transvaal and the development of the Jewish Ministers' Association both in Johannesburg and in Cape Town, may in time result in the Board handing over its religious functions.

Co-ordinating Fund-raising

The Board has also made a determined effort to co-ordinate various communal fund-raising activities under a united communal fund. It has also supported, and often financed, centralised Boards of Jewish education in the Transvaal and the Cape.

To-day, it is generally realised that the Board is in the process of adjusting itself to the changing conditions in Jewish life. The idea that the Board must not be merely a body engaged in the defence of Jewish rights is gradually gaining ground. Although the notion of the Eastern European kehilla is somewhat foreign to local Jewish leaders, there can be no doubt that, to some extent unconsciously, the Board, by its interest in education, in Jewish culture, social welfare, and in religious matters, apart from political issues, is gradually assuming the rôle of a kehilla. If it did not do that it would probably reduce itself to an organisation for the defence of Jewish rights at a time when Jewish rights are not being assailed.

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Provincial News

CORONATION SERVICES IN PROVINCES

Parade at Manchester Great Synagogue

From our Correspondent

All Manchester synagogues held Coronation services during the week-end. On Sunday a special service attended by representatives of all congregations, both Orthodox and Reform, was held at the Great Synagogue.

Led by the Jewish Lads' Brigade bugle band, a parade of ex-Servicemen and civil defence workers marched to the synagogue where they were joined by a contingent of nurses from the Jewish Hospital and Servicemen from the American air-base at Burtonwood.

The parade was inspected by the Lord Mayor of Manchester, Ald. A. Moss, J.P., who was accompanied by Mr. Hyman Weinberg, M.B.E., and officers of the Army, Navy, and R.A.F. The Lady Mayoress attended the service. Among others present were the Mayor of Salford, Ald. Dr. J. Shlosberg, J.P. The congregation in the synagogue numbered 750 people, and the service was relayed to another 200 people in the adjacent Yeshurun Hall.

Dr. A. Altmann, Communal Rabbi, preached the sermon, in which he said that it was a matter of pride to the Jewish community that the central core of the Coronation ceremony was deliberately associated with Biblical precedents.

All wards at the Manchester Jewish Hospital were equipped with TV sets to view the Coronation, lent by friends of the hospital. Mr. Jacobson, of the Broughton Bakery, presented the hospital with a cake, which was a replica of the St. Edward Crown.

Synagogue services were held on the Sabbath or Sunday in nearly every provincial centre.

The minister of the Luton Jewish Congregation, the Rev. H. D. Ritvo, officiated at the municipal coronation service of thanksgiving held outside the Luton Town Hall on Sunday; and in other towns Jewish ministers took part in the local civic services.

In Glasgow the Rev. Dr. I. K. Cosgrove, J.P., minister of the Garnethill congregation, gave a broadcast talk to the Jewish communities in Scotland on Sunday morning.

A service held for the three local congregations in the Western Synagogue, Hull, on Sabbath was attended by the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress. Cllr. A. Richardson, and Miss Jean Goff, and other civic dignitaries.

HOSPITAL'S KASHER KITCHEN

An announcement that the committee of the Crumpsall Hospital is to set up a kasher kitchen at Delauneys Hospital (and that the kasher kitchen at the Springfield Hospital will remain open for a further three months to enable the structural alterations to be completed at Delauneys Hospital) was made at a meeting of the Linas Hazedek and Sick Relief Society by the Rev. Aaron Segal.

The cost of the new equipment will be about £400 and the meeting decided to contribute £200 towards this. Mr. Segal said he was confident that their friends and well wishers would come to their aid. He reported that the Society had distributed on Passover 3,500 lb. of matzot and meal, 18 dozen bottles of wine, as well as monetary gifts, to needy families.

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WELFARE OF AGED IN LEEDS

Joint Action With Guardians

From our Correspondent

LEEDS

It was announced at the monthly Council meeting of the Leeds Home for Aged Jews, at which Mr. Maurice Myers presided, that discussions had been held with the Jewish Board of Guardians on the benefits which might be derived by the elderly poor of Leeds if forces were joined for their maintenance and providing flats or bungalows (chiefly for married couples).

A scheme prepared by Mr. Charles Sumrie, President of the Board of Guardians, was read at the meeting; various suggestions were made and discussed; and the matter was left in the hands of the President of the Home for further study.

A tribute was paid to Mr. J. Biron, who had been Hon. Secretary for many years, at the annual meeting of the Leeds Chassidishe Synagogue. The following were elected: Messrs. S. Collins, President; N. Daulby, Vice-President; P. Pearlson, Treasurer; M. Leyton, Warden; and I. Harris (4, Grange Avenue, Leeds, 7), Hon. Secretary.

MERSEYSIDE MINISTERS FORM ASSOCIATION

From our Correspondent

LIVERPOOL

The Merseyside Association of Jewish Ministers has been formed with the object of discussing questions affecting the welfare of the local Jewish community and seeking means of co-operation with a view to strengthening Orthodoxy. Membership is open to ministers and chazanim of synagogues acknowledging the spiritual jurisdiction of the Chief Rabbi.

The officers are Rabbi S. Woolf (Chairman) and the Revs. S. Segal (Hon. Secretary) and S. Cashdan.

AJEX MEMORIAL

It was stated at the recent annual meeting of the Merseyside branch of Ajex that the Council of Synagogues had not been able to agree upon a site for a memorial plaque, which the branch wished to erect in memory of local Jewish Servicemen who had been killed in the last war.

The following were elected: Messrs. G. J. Bean, O.B.E., President; C. E. Gordon, Vice-President; E. Goldsmith, Chairman; D. Conway and C. M. Samuels, Vice-Chairmen; B. Caplan, Treasurer; and A. Brown, Hon. Secretary.

APPOINTED A MAGISTRATE

From our Correspondent

BELFAST

Mr. Philip Gorfunkle, who 30 years ago became the first Jewish solicitor in Belfast, has been appointed a temporary resident magistrate—the first Jew to be so appointed.

Mr. Gorfunkle is Hon. Solicitor to the Belfast Congregation and is one of the founders of the Shalom Masonic Lodge and a past Worshipful Master. His wife is a former "captain" of Jewish Women's Week.

GLASGOW GUARDIANS AND INFLATION

A Continuing Problem

From our Correspondent

GLASGOW

The year's accounts of the Glasgow Jewish Board of Guardians were submitted at the 86th annual meeting held last week (with Mr. Charles Edelman, President, in the chair) by Sir Maurice Bloch, Hon. President and Treasurer.

The income, said Sir Maurice, amounted to £9,892—an increase of £184 over 1951. In addition the Board had been left £600 in legacies and bequests. The Board's auxiliary had made an impressive contribution of £2,112, while boxes had increased from £628 to £755. The revenue from annual subscriptions showed a decrease of £96.

Their continuing problem, Sir Maurice said, was inflation. If they were to treat applicants with justice and generosity they had to give them more. The Board's annual expenditure was now at the rate of £9,000 to £10,000, and the tendency was upwards. Without a larger income from annual subscriptions, Yom Kippur and Passover donations, and charity boxes it was difficult to escape a deficit at the end of the year.

The following were among those elected: Sir Maurice Bloch, Hon. President and Treasurer; Messrs. Charles Edelman, President; S. Miller and D. Wolfe, Vice-Presidents; Joseph Sagman, Deputy Treasurer; Fred S. Berkley, Hon. Secretary; and A. Stone, Hon. Solicitor.

WHITLEY BAY PRAYER HOUSE & CEMETERY

The consecration of a Prayer House and Cemetery at Whitley Bay was last week performed by the Chief Rabbi, assisted by the Rev. S. Balanow, minister of the congregation.

Rabbi Brodie shovelled the first spadeful of earth on the box containing disused Sefarim.

The foundation-stone ceremony was performed by Mr. and Mrs. P. Morris, through whose endeavours the Prayer House came into being—it was envisaged about 18 months ago by Mr. H. Gould, Treasurer of the Chevra Kadisha. Mr. H. Sandler, of Consett, unveiled the consecration tablet.

Mr. E. G. Markus, President of the congregation, was the chairman at a reception held later at the Rex Hotel, where Rabbi and Mrs. Brodie were the guests of honour. The Chairman of the Whitley Bay U.D.C., was present.

BIRMINGHAM CENTRAL SYNAGOGUE

From our Correspondent

BIRMINGHAM

Presiding at the annual meeting of the Birmingham Central Synagogue (Beth Hamedrash) on Sunday, Mr. A. Hamburger reported that the shiurim conducted by their Rabbi in English, both for adolescents and young men, were well attended and that the inauguration of a choir on Sabbaths and Festivals, conducted by the Rev. M. Cantor, and the short sermon every Sabbath delivered by the Rabbi, had proved successful.

The following were elected: Messrs. A. Hamburger, President; S. Prais, Warden; D. H. Levenson, Warden, Beth Hamedrash; and H. Fink, S. Galena and S. Grossman, Vice-Presidents.

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SHEFFIELD DINNER FOR J.P.A.

£10,000 Raised

From our Correspondent

SHEFFIELD

More than £10,000 was raised at a dinner in aid of the Joint Palestine Appeal held at the Wilson Road Assembly Rooms on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Lorna Wingate, who had just returned from Israel, where she had opened a children's village named after her late husband, was the guest speaker.

She reported that more settled conditions now prevailed in Israel, and said that the fear of bankruptcy had been dispelled. Youth Aliyah work, with its high educational values, was no longer an experiment but an achievement.

Mr. Edward Sieff, Chairman of the J.P.A., surveyed the technical and scientific progress which had led to the development of the new State's natural resources.

The appeal was made by Rabbi Kopul Rosen. Lord Morris of Kenwood proposed a vote of thanks to the speakers, and Rabbi Isaac Chait thanked Mrs. Emile Viner, who, as the first Woman Chairman of the Sheffield appeal, presided at the dinner.

BRADFORD FRIENDS OF UNIVERSITY

From our Own Correspondent

BRADFORD

The Bradford branch of the Friends of the Hebrew University of Jerusalem held its fifth annual dinner at the Midland Hotel last week under the chairmanship of Dr. A. Brodie.

The guests of honour included the Chief Rabbi and Mrs. Brodie, the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress of Bradford (Ald. A. Crowther, J.P., and Miss Crowther), the Vice-Chancellor of Leeds University, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Morris, Mr. M. Gazit, First Secretary to the Israeli Embassy, and the Rev. Dr. J. Bowman, head of the Department of Hebrew and Oriental Studies, Leeds University, and Mrs. Bowman.

Responding to the toast of the City of Bradford, proposed by Mr. Roy V. Stroud, the Lord Mayor paid tribute to Jewish contributions to the industry and trade of the city, as well as to its cultural development, and he also eulogised the part the Jewish people in general had played in the progress of mankind and their efforts in restoring the Land of Israel and fostering the Hebrew University of Jerusalem.

The Chief Rabbi praised the efforts of the Bradford "Friends" and was delighted that his brother was Chairman.

Among other speakers were Mr. William Jerome, Dr. H. Fidler, Mr. Gazit, Mr. C. R. Morris, and the Rev. J. Israelstam. Dr. A. Brodie paid a tribute to the late Mrs. Philip Jerome, at whose home the Bradford "Friends" were formed.

BLACKPOOL

A garden party held on behalf of the Blackpool Women's Zionist Society at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Febland, Newton Drive, raised £200 for the Jerusalem Baby Home. Eighty-year-old Mrs. Lena Bernstein, of Manchester, opened the garden party with a speech and a donation of £30. She was introduced by the President, Mrs. D. Morrison. A mannequin parade of garden and beach wear was arranged by Diana Warren.

BOURNEMOUTH

The J.P.A. benefited by £100 as a result of a collection made recently by Mr. S. Lieber, supported by Mr. I. Joshpe, among visitors to the Eastcliff Manor Hotel.

BRIGHTON

This year's Royal Academy exhibition includes a drawing, "A Street in Lewes," by Mr. Samuel Fenton, of Marine Gate, Brighton, who in recent years has made a number of drawings of the interior of the Middle Street Synagogue.

CARDIFF

At the annual meeting of the Chevra Bikur Cholim and G'Millus Chasodim Society held last week at the Isaac Baron Memorial Hall, Mr. Joseph Danovitch, the retiring Chairman, said that this old society was still doing fine work, but it needed to be more widely known. The following were elected: Messrs. L. Weisbard, Chairman; Maurice J. Travers, Vice-Chairman; David Felman, Treasurer; S. Lewis, S. Goldberg, and L. Corfan, Trustees; Arthur J. Goldberg, Hon. Accountant; Dr. Michael C. Myerson, Hon. Medical Officer; Messrs. Hyman Taylor, Collector; and Reuben Simmonds ("Dominion House," 7, Wembley Road, Victoria Park, Cardiff), Hon. Secretary.

DARLINGTON

A social evening in aid of Women's Week, held by the Jewish Ladies' Guild, at the Imperial Hotel, Darlington, raised £25. The hostesses were Mesdames J. Bilden, L. Bilton, H. Finn, and A. Benn.

RITUAL OBJECTS EXHIBITION

Lent by Victoria and Albert Museum

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

An exhibition of Jewish antiquities, on loan from the Victoria and Albert Museum, was declared open at the Jewish Museum, Woburn House, London, on Wednesday of last week

Sir H. d'Avigdor Goldsmid

by Sir Henry d'Avigdor Goldsmid, President of the Jewish Museum.

The exhibition, which is on loan for two months, comprises 33 ritual objects, including Chanucah lamps, Passover plates, spice-holders, scrolls and their appurtenances, a collection of Jewish marriage rings, and embroidered curtains, some dating back to the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries. It is the first time that exhibits from a Royal museum have been placed at the disposal of the Jewish Museum.

Sir Henry, in declaring the exhibition open, paid tribute to the Chairman, Mr. Wilfred S. Samuel, and to Mr. C. Roth, to whose work, he said, the development of the Museum was largely due. He thanked the authorities of the Victoria and Albert Museum, particularly its Director, Sir Leigh Ashton, Mr. Charles C. Oman, Keeper of the Department of Metalwork, and Mr. George F. Wingfield Digby, Keeper of the Department of Textiles, who had helped to make the exhibition possible.

Mr. Roth read a paper on "The Beginnings of Jewish Ritual Art." Compared with the history of Christian ritual art, which could be traced back for 1,600 years, he said, extant specimens of Jewish ritual art were of a much more recent date: They possessed nothing that was earlier than the Renaissance; little had been preserved of Jewish objects of art of the sixteenth century.

Mr. Samuel said that one of the reasons which had prompted them to approach the Victoria and Albert Museum had been that it had older examples of Jewish art objects than those in the possession of the Jewish Museum. Some of these, he added, had been purchased by the Victoria and Albert Museum from the Amsterdam Sefardi community.

BRIAR CLYFFE SCHOOL

At the fourth annual sports day of Briar Clyffe School, Lowestoft, held recently at the Denes Oval, in the presence of many parents and friends, the winner of Group I (eight years and under) was Clive Dawson-Ellis, and the Victor Ludorum was won by René Felsenthal, who came first in the 440 yds., 220 yds., 100 yds., and the senior high jump. The parents were welcomed by the Headmaster, Mr. Harry Levine; and the prizes were presented by the Rev. F. C. Pating, Headmaster of Earsham Hall Boarding School.

J.L.B. CAMP AT WALMER

The London Regiment of the Jewish Lads' Brigade held a camp at Walmer over Whitsuntide to celebrate the Coronation. The camp was under the command of Major J. A. May.

On the Sunday the camp was inspected by the Brigade Honorary Colonel Commandant, Colonel E. M. Joseph, C.B.E., who told amusing anecdotes of early Brigade camps. Colonel Joseph has not missed attending one camp since he joined the J.L.B. in 1898.

When the camp concluded all were given certificates to mark the event.

DUNDEE

Hostesses at gatherings held recently in aid of Wizo funds included Mesdames Jacob, J. Koppel, Sydney Gillis, Baumgart, Levison, Sam Gillis, I. Shein, and Millar.

EDINBURGH

At the annual meeting of the Edinburgh Jewish Literary Society the following were elected: Messrs. S. Kaufman, President; V. Brown, Vice-President; R. Purvin, Treasurer; J. Stein, Hon. Secretary; and Miss B. Nathan, Assistant Secretary.

HIGH WYCOMBE

The following were elected at the annual meeting of the High Wycombe Congregation: Messrs. A. Gaber and A. Butcher, Wardens; J. Silverstone, Chairman; A. Butcher, Vice-Chairman; S. M. Marks, H. Brudney, E. Myers, J. Elman, J. Crook, and L. Leslie, Board of Management; and S. M. Marks, Affiliated Synagogues Committee and Welfare Committee of the United Synagogue. Tributes were paid to Mr. S. M. Marks for his services as Chairman.

HULL

Sunday morning attendance at the Jewish Communal School this term increased from 55 to 100 and the weekday attendance from 23 to 80. The number of children on the rôle is now 110.

LEICESTER

The Jewish Ladies' Guild recently sent a number of hand-knitted garments to the Jerusalem Baby Home and food parcels to various institutions in Israel.

LUTON

A Luton Jewish hairdresser, Mr. S. Ludwin, has won third prize in the 1953 Coronation haircutting competition organised by the Academy of Gentlemen's Hairdressing, London.

NEWCASTLE

The May meeting of the Newcastle and District Representative Council was held at the Whitley Bay Synagogue, Mr. Lionel Jacobson presiding. Mr. A. Caplan, reporting on the Jewish Social Club, said that they hoped the community would make use of the new club, but stated that no gambling would be tolerated in the club as long as he was President. The club will be officially declared open on June 7.

NOTTINGHAM

Officers re-elected at the annual meeting of the Nottingham Jewish Ladies' Guild were: Mesdames H. H. L. Levene, President; J. Spungin, Treasurer; and R. Morris, Hon. Secretary.

PWLLHELI

Mr. J. Pollecoff has been elected to the Borough Council of Pwllheli, North Wales, as an Independent. Mr. Pollecoff is also Chairman of the local Chamber of Trade and of the Coronation Committee.

SOUTHEND-ON-SEA

As a result of a lecture given recently by Miss Frankie Mendoza on "Israel To-day" to the Pitsea Methodist Church, the members have sent her a quantity of sweets and chocolates for the Crippled Children's Hospital, Jerusalem.

SUNDERLAND

At the annual meeting of the Sunderland Zionist Association Mr. Simon, in his chairman's report, said that appeals had proved fairly successful, though some targets had not been reached. Mr. N. Goodman, retiring Chairman of the J.P.A., stated that a total of £3,272 had been raised. Dr. I. B. Gussack was announced as J.P.A. Chairman for 1953-54. Mr. S. Light was elected Chairman of the Zionist Association; Mr. H. Book, Treasurer; and Mr. C. Gillis, Secretary.

At the 92nd annual meeting of the Sunderland Congregation the following were elected: Mr. Harold Olswang, President; Major Mordaunt Cohen, Treasurer; Messrs. W. Morris and Gerald Belfman, Wardens; and T. Buck (29, Tunstall Park), Hon. Secretary.

SWANSEA

In support of the Jewish Women's Week campaign a dinner was held, at which Mrs. Blanche Karp was the chief speaker. Mr. A. Hyman, Chairman of Swansea Wizo, presided; and other speakers were Mrs. J. Reuben, Cardiff Wizo Chairman; Mrs. E. Hyman, President; Mrs. E. Corrick; Mrs. M. Foner; and Mrs. E. Levi, Llanelly. Mrs. L. Coffman is captain of the campaign.

EIRE NEWS

DUBLIN TALMUD TORAH

From our Correspondent

DUBLIN

The President of the Dublin Talmud Torah, Mr. M. Ellis, P.C., presiding at the annual meeting held recently at Zion Schools, said that the numbers on the rolls at both the Bloomfield Avenue and Terenure centres had continued to increase during 1952. Stratford House, he said, had proved a valuable acquisition. Mr. H. Handelman, Treasurer, reported that there had been some improvement in the financial position.

At a meeting of the council held later the following were re-elected: Messrs. M. Ellis, P.C., President; P. Leon, Vice-President; H. Handelman, Treasurer; and E. M. Isaacson, Hon. Secretary.

A reception will be given by the Jewish Representative Council of Eire at Zion schools next Wednesday, for the Jewish delegates attending the International P.E.N. Congress, to be held in Dublin from June 8 to June 13.

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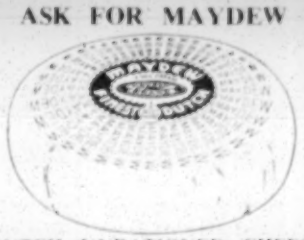

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MEMORIAL WINDOWS FOR ZIONISTS

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

From the Rev. Dr. S. GOLDMAN

SIR,—The St. John's Wood and Maida Vale Zionist Society, which has made itself responsible for the project of installing the memorial windows for Theodor Herzl, Chaim Weizmann, and Mordecai Eliash in the St. John's Wood Synagogue, has received the following message from His Excellency the Israeli Ambassador to the Court of St. James's:

"I was much pleased to hear of the project sponsored by the St. John's Wood and Maida Vale Zionist Society and local Joint Palestine Appeal Committee for the dedication of stained-glass windows in the St. John's Wood Synagogue to the memory of Dr. Theodor Herzl, Dr. Chaim Weizmann, and Dr. Mordecai Eliash. It is, indeed, appropriate that these three great men—the founder of the Zionist Organisation, the first President of the State of Israel, and the first Israeli Minister to the Court of St. James's—should be linked together in this way, and their memory perpetuated in one of London's leading synagogues, where, incidentally, Dr. Eliash was a regular worshipper. I feel sure that the scheme will command warm support from a wide circle of Jews and Zionists, and will meet with the success it so obviously merits."

It is felt that many people outside the society and the local community will wish to be associated with this memorial, and donations, large or small, will be gratefully accepted. Cheques should be made payable to the Memorial Window Fund, addressed to the Treasurer, Memorial Window Fund, St. John's Wood Synagogue, 33, Abbey Road, N.W.8.

S. GOLDMAN,
Hon. President,
St. John's Wood and Maida Vale Zionist Society.

BOOKS FOR ISRAEL

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

From Mrs. ETHEL SOLOMON

SIR,—Readers of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE will be interested to learn that the first Wizo Library, based on the Wizo Book Service, has been opened in Beersheba. The inauguration of the scheme was made possible by the arrival of the first book parcels dispatched by the Federation of Women Zionists of Great Britain and Ireland, to which many of your readers contributed. The aim of the project is to provide reading matter in their own languages for those who do not yet know Hebrew. Therefore, the consignment of books in English and other foreign languages is of great assistance.

According to plan, libraries will exchange their store of books with each other after a certain time, in order to give a wider choice of reading matter to the non-Hebrew-reading public. The books are to be dispatched in wooden cases, which will serve temporarily as bookshelves, and will then be retransformed into crates when the exchange is made. A minimum fee and deposit is being charged to cover expenses of transport, bookbinding, crates, etc. Our readers in Israel find it of great interest when the donor's name and the name of the Federation, through whom the gift is made, is written in each book.

The Wizo Book Service would be happy to receive further gifts of books. Parcels can be sent direct to the Wizo headquarters, 8, Beth Hashoeva Lane, Tel Aviv, Israel, up to the weight of 6 lb., the ends of the parcels to be left open. Heavier parcels should be sent c/o Mr. Miller, F.W.Z. Books for Israel, 77, Great Russell Street, W.C.1.

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THE PROSPECT BEFORE ANGLO-JEWRY

Toleration Urged

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—Dr. Salaman's address at the Lucien Wolf Memorial Lecture can be summarised in one sentence. He hopes he can see the signs of the total disappearance of the Anglo-Jewish community and he is glad of it; he is very angry at every effort that is made to halt the decline.

It is hardly necessary to say that Dr. Salaman is a reformist of the extremist variety—he apparently believes in neither written nor oral Jewish law. He talks with fervour of "that other Judaism increasingly divorced from ritual which attains a wider goal in a humanism transcending race and nation." It is in fact a very prevalent thought to-day among those who think like him (it was recently expressed by a certain professor at a meeting of the Anglo-Jewish Graduates' Association) that Jews who keep the mitzvot are merely the ritualists, but the truly religious are those whose Judaism is confined to the heart. "They eat swine's flesh and broth of abominable thing is in their vessels and say 'Stand by thyself, come not near unto me for I am holier than thou'" (Isaiah lxv. 5).

This is not the place to argue these points, for, after all, in the last analysis these are matters of belief and outlook on life. One is, however, tempted to ask, being himself almost outside the Jewish community, what right has Dr. Salaman to lecture our Orthodox Chief Rabbi as to what to do? Shall he consult the learned doctor rather than the Dayanim as to what directives to issue? This has always been and still is an Orthodox community. Dr. Salaman's "Utopia" has not yet come true (nor will it ever). Let Dr. Salaman go his own way and concentrate on his scientific endeavours; we need none of his advice how to liquidate the Anglo-Jewish community. I respectfully submit that it is offensive to suggest that the ecclesiastical authorities have been "captured" by the ultra-Orthodox (whatever the definition of that term may be). Orthodox Judaism may be irksome to the learned doctor, but, after all, in this modern age he ought to show some tolerance.

ABRAHAM MASLO.
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119, Finsbury Pavement, E.C.2.

Overflow Services on Holy-Days

SIR,—May I express my horror that Dr. Redcliffe Salaman should have seen fit to insult the Chief Rabbi publicly, and in his presence, by his condemnation of Orthodoxy and his pessimistic forecasts as to its future.

And may I further ask Dr Salaman whether the overflowing congregations at all the Orthodox (United and Agudist) synagogues on the Holy-days are not a clear manifestation of the deep reverence felt by the members of those synagogues for their religion in its age-old form?

As for Sabbath attendances, financial reasons handicap many people who regret their non-attendance on that day at the synagogue; but I think something could be done by an individual invitation to members to attend kiddush and *havdala*, when members could be asked not to lose the opportunity of at least occasional attendance on the Sabbath morning.

But with one point raised by Dr. Salaman I agree, namely, the decline of Jewish learning. Its revival among Jewish youth lies in the hands of our ministers and teachers.

HYMAN ROSIN.
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Cardiff.

Satisfying Honour and Decorum

SIR,—I had the great misfortune to take a distinguished non-Jewish friend with me as a visitor to the recent Lucien Wolf Memorial Lecture at the Jewish Historical Society. How comforting after that unhappy evening now to be in a position to show my friend the level-headedness of the representative British Jewish journal as evinced in your relevant short leader in the issue of May 22, particularly with its broadminded conclusion that "the moral of this painful incident is more and not less frankness in public discussion."

As a humble member of the Jewish Historical Society I do not presume to take sides as between the distinguished lecturer and the distinguished proposer of the vote of thanks. It was, of course, embarrassing for the Chief Rabbi to occupy a prominent seat on the platform in view of the lecturer's findings. One sympathised with him as one would sympathise with an agonised parent at the sick-bed of his only beloved child when in his distraction he has to listen to an unfavourable diagnosis by a specialist.

One would not, however, expect such a parent—unless overwrought—to refuse in a state of suppressed indignation, righteous or otherwise, to decline to thank the eminent doctor for his trouble in having come down and, after detailed examination, expressing his considered opinion as to whither the patient was going! But then it is one of our Jewish characteristics to refuse to accept the opinion of our medical adviser and to exhaust one specialist after another.

This brings me to the main purport of this letter. Too frequently at Jewish meetings do speakers turn a vote of thanks into a channel for communicating their own views, however valuable, on the preceding lecture. It was, needless to say, the height of tactlessness in the unfortunate circumstances to invite the Chief Rabbi to propose the vote of thanks. However, the *faux pas* having been committed, I suggest with great respect that the distinguished speaker had one of two courses open to him: (a) gracefully to have declined the invitation, or (b) having accepted the distasteful task, to confine himself literally to his terms of reference and thank the lecturer for his lecture while, if necessary, dissociating himself from the views expressed therein. Thus would honour and decorum have been satisfied. As it is, one can imagine the diplomatic shade of the great Lucien Wolf smiling down quizzically at the meeting which had been convened in his honour. We Jews are the last people who dare lay ourselves open to the charge of intolerance or dictatorship.

A MEMBER.

PUPILS WHO ARE "NOT JEWS"

"Astonishment" at Dayan's Clarification

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

From Mr. HARRY SAMUELS

SIR,—In your January 16 issue you reprinted a letter from the Chief Rabbi which gave the following directive to headmasters of religion classes: "Only such children may be allowed to join or to remain in Hebrew and religion classes whose mothers are of Jewish birth or have been admitted into the Jewish faith by a Rabbinic authority recognised by the Chief Rabbi and Beth Din."

Many of your readers must have read with no less astonishment than I the report in your current issue of an address by Dayan Grunfeld in which he gave the following interpretation of the above letter: "It was not the intention of the Chief Rabbi that headmasters, on their own accord and authority, should expel such children, but that they should get in touch with the Chief Rabbi's office or the Beth Din with a view to investigating the possibility of having those children and their non-Jewish mothers received as proselytes."

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First Reunion to be Held

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—We wish to make it known to the very large number whom we cannot hope to reach by post that a Jewish organisation, the Fellowship of Old Savoyards, has recently been formed, and a reunion will shortly be held.

The Fellowship consists of representatives of the following Jewish amateur operatic societies, which have flourished—and some of which are still flourishing—at various periods during the past fifty years. These societies owe their existence to that well-known enthusiastic pioneer, the late Henry Winston, of beloved memory.

The operatic societies concerned are: (1) The Jewish Working Men's Club O.S. founded by the late Henry Winston, 1897 to 1914; (2) the Stepney Amateur O.S., founded in 1916 and renamed the (3) Henry Winston O.S., which, after having been in existence for 37 years, is still flourishing; (4) the Mile End Amateur O.S., 1920-1930; (5) the London Light O.S., 1925-1935; (6) the Old Stepnians O.S., founded 1927 and still flourishing; and (7) the West Central Jewish Club O.S., founded about 1925 and still flourishing.

All those who wish to attend the first annual reunion (tickets 5s. each) should communicate with either the Hon. Secretary, Mr. Harry Marcus, 46, Liverpool Street, E.C.2 (Avenue 5622), or the undersigned at Hampstead 3391.

BERNARD COUSIN,
Chairman.
11, Langland Gardens,
Hampstead, N.W.3.

DR. LESLIE J. HARRIS, Director of the Nutritional Laboratory at the University of Cambridge, has been elected President of the Nutrition Society.

HEBREW ELEMENTS IN YIDDISH

The Author's Reply

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

From Mr. J. WITRIOL

SIR,—In answer to Mrs. Doniach's question, Lat. *devovere* is given as one of five possible etymologies of *davnen* in "Jüdisches Lexikon," Vol. II, Berlin, 1928, s.v. *dawnen*. Neither Dr. S. Birnbaum, in his *Das Hebräische und Aramäische Element in der Jiddischen Sprache* (Leipzig, 1922), nor Taviov, in his "Hayesodot Ha-ivrim Bazhargon" (in *Kitvei I. H. Taviov*, Berlin, 1923), includes *davnen* in his lists of Yiddish words of Hebrew/Aramaic origin. Dr. Birnbaum specifically states *davnen* to be of Indo-Germanic origin (*op. cit.*, p. 53), thus excluding the Arabic, Aramaic, and Hebrew etymologies suggested by your correspondents.

Considerations of your space, Sir, enable me to comment only on the Hebrew/Aramaic etymologies suggested by your correspondents. The Yiddish spelling—דאווינען or דאווענען (both with *vav*)—seems against a derivation from דובב or דבר or דאבהן or דאבונן. In this case we should have expected at least דב if not דבב or דבר or דאב to have been retained in the Yiddish spelling. If from דוי "afflicted," the א in the Yiddish spelling needs accounting for, apart from which such a derivation seems semantically improbable. All Germanised Hebrew verbs, as indeed all but a handful of the hundreds of Hebrew-in-Yiddish words of all kinds, retain their exact Hebrew spelling in the Yiddish, e.g., דרשענען, גנבענען, הרגענען—the additional *nun* is not paragogic, according to Dr. Birnbaum, *loc. cit.*, p. 33—פּטרין, מסרין from Hebrew verbs whose infinitives are spelled with the first three letters of the respective Yiddish words. (The vowel change *dev/dav* does not invalidate the derivation from *devovere*: Cf. Yidd. "arois," Germ. "heraus"; Yidd. "farkoifen," Germ. "verkaufen.")

J. WITRIOL.
63, Summerlee Avenue, N.2.

[This correspondence must now cease.—Ed., J.C.]

SEPHARDI OR SEFARDI?

A Further Transcription

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—In connection with the discussion about Sephardim or Sefardim, I would like to point out that the correct transcription is neither Sephardim nor Sefardim, but *Sepharadim* or *Sefaradim*. ספרד is a *hapax legomenon* which occurs only in Obadiah v. 20, and the spelling is ספרד (*Sefarad*). According to the rules of the language the adjective (or the noun) is ספרדי *Sepharadi, Sefaradi*, hence ספרדים—*Sepharadim* or *Sefaradim*.

MORDECHAI KAHANA.
17, Hartington Park,
Bristol, 6.

HEBREW SEMINAR IN OXFORD

Invitation to Students

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

From the Rev. I. LEVY and Mr. L. GERTNER

SIR,—We wish to inform those of your readers interested in Hebrew studies that a three-week Hebrew Seminar, for advanced and higher intermediate students, will be held under the auspices of the Department for Education and Culture of the Jewish Agency. The course, which will be held this year in Oxford, commences on August 10 and terminates on August 31.

We have again been fortunate in securing the services of a number of eminent Israeli lecturers, specialists in T'nach, Hebrew language and grammar, and the history of Hebrew literature.

A number of participants are expected from Holland and other European countries, and it is, therefore, essential that those desiring to attend this Seminar should communicate with the Secretary not later than July 24.

The inclusive fee for the course is six guineas per week.

ISAAC LEVY, *Hon. Secretary,*
L. GERTNER, *Secretary.*
77, Great Russell Street,
London, W.C.1.

NINETY-TWO buyers from Israel attended the British Industries Fair last month.

ANGLO-JEWRY AND THE CORONATION

Deputies and Loyal Address

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

From Mr. A. G. BROTMAN

SIR,—The President of the Board of Deputies cannot plead guilty to the "lapse into error" attributed to him by your legal correspondent in connection with the question of presenting loyal addresses. The President was aware that there was no question of the "Privileged Bodies" again presenting addresses in person, and had ascertained that the Board would, if it desired, be permitted to send an address of congratulations on the Coronation, through the appropriate channels, to Her Majesty.

The point on which the President wished to seek information from "Privileged Bodies" of other religious denominations was whether they intended to send loyal addresses through the Home Secretary, for which action—as far as Coronations are concerned—the Board had no precedent.

The results of inquiries that have been made show that the Board's attitude, indicated in the note from your reporter on the subject, is shared by the other "Privileged Bodies."

A. G. BROTMAN,
Secretary, Board of Deputies.
Woburn House, W.C.1.

Suggestion to Forest Organisers

SIR,—It would seem to me to be a courteous gesture by the organisers of the Coronation Forest if they were to announce that part of the proceeds will be devoted to a project in this country very near to the heart of the Duke of Edinburgh: I refer to the National Playing Fields Association.

The Duke has readily answered every call made upon him by the Jewish community. He attended the service held at Bevis Marks to mark the 250th anniversary of the synagogue; he was the Inspecting Officer at the Jewish Remembrance Parade last November; he has accorded his patronage to the Spanish and Portuguese Beth Holim, and now he is honouring this dinner at the Guildhall with his gracious presence.

It would be both timely and appropriate if part of the proceeds from this dinner were used to provide a playing field or a children' playground as a symbol of the loyalty of English Jewry on the occasion of the Coronation.

HAROLD H. SEBAG-MONTEFIORE.
73, Chester Row, S.W.1.

Antiques Adviser to Four Queens

From Mr. ARNOLD LEVY

SIR,—The mention of the late Mr. Moss Harris in the article in your issue of last week, headed "By Appointment," recalls a story told to me by Mr. Harris within half an hour of its happening.

As is well known, Mr. Harris was the friend of, and adviser on antique furniture to, among others, four Queens of England, namely, Victoria, Alexandra, Mary, and Elizabeth the Queen Mother. In the 1920s, shortly before the wedding of the Princess Royal, Queen Mary, accompanied by the Princess, visited the Harris establishment in New Oxford Street.

A small Chippendale cabinet attracted the attention of Her Majesty, and she asked the price.

"Four hundred guineas," replied Mr. Harris.

"Very expensive," was the Queen's response.

"This is a rare piece," said Mr. Harris, adding: "May I be permitted to present it to the Princess as a wedding gift?"

"Certainly," replied Her Majesty.

"Thank you," said Mr. Harris, "I will send it to the Palace to-morrow."

"Please don't bother, Mr. Harris. We have ample room in the carriage."

Her Majesty took the cabinet in her carriage. At a later date Mr. Harris told me that he had received an invitation to the wedding of the Princess Royal.

ARNOLD LEVY.
Hindhead, Surrey.

SIR,—Further to Mr. Alfred Rubens's comprehensive list of Jewish firms with Royal Warrants and connected with Coronations, above all I would mention L. and H. Nathan (founded 1790), fancy costumiers to Queen Victoria.

Mr. Nathan was congratulated personally by Her Majesty on his work. Furthermore, this firm supplied the costumes for the wedding of Her Royal Highness Princess Mary to Viscount Lascelles.

OLGA SOMECH PHILLIPS.
4, Percival Avenue, N.W.3.

SOCIAL WORKERS' TRAINING

Theme of Third Conference

From Miss H. M. SCHLESINGER, M.B.E., and Miss MIRIAM MOSES, O.B.E., J.P.

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—The Third Biennial Conference of Jewish Social Workers will be held on the evening of Saturday, October 31, and during Sunday, November 1, at the Brady Girls' Club and Settlement, 192-6, Hanbury Street, London, E.1.

The theme of the conference will be "The Rôle of the Social Worker in the Community To-day," and Mr. Basil Henriques, C.B.E., J.P., has kindly agreed to act as Chairman of the conference. Details will be sent to all organisations and individuals with whom the committee has been in communication in the past. It would be appreciated if all interested in receiving a copy of the programme would get into touch with the Hon. Secretary at the address below.

HILDA M. SCHLESINGER,
Chairman,
Committee for Training Social Workers.
MIRIAM MOSES,
Chairman,
Conference Sub-Committee.
Woburn House,
Upper Woburn Place, W.C.1.

DEFUNCT HARCOURT SOCIAL CLUB

Revival Proposed

To the Editor of THE JEWISH CHRONICLE

SIR,—I have been approached by a large number of old members of the Harcourt Social and Literary Club, which was in existence for a number of years in Stamford Hill, N.16, under the presidency of Dr. Leopold Mandel and the vice-presidency of Mr. S. Teff, to hold a reunion dinner, with the possibility of restarting this once very active Jewish club.

All past members who are interested in this reunion should communicate with me at the address below.

The club served a useful purpose in Jewish communal life, having an excellent tennis section, dramatics, and a very strong literary group.

ARTHUR D. SALIN
(formerly Hon. Gen. Secretary).
6, Windsor Court,
Golders Green, N.W.11.

Points from Letters

PIANO FOR THE BLIND

The North London Club for the Jewish Blind, which meets every Tuesday afternoon at the premises of the Jewish Deaf Association, 92, Cazenove Road, N.16, is urgently in need of an upright piano in good working order. We should be most grateful if one of your generous readers will respond to this appeal and help us to bring a little joy and light into the lives of our less fortunate co-religionists.—S. MARCUS, Assistant Secretary, 1, Craven Hill, Lancaster Gate, London, W.2.

TRAVEL NOTES

More Group Holidays

By "Green Flag"

Here is additional information for the benefit of those interested in various group vacation schemes.

Rabbi S. Sperber, of the Jewish Agency, 35, Great Russell Street, W.C.1, writes: "The Agency's Department for Torah Education and Culture is organising a summer school for teachers from Europe and North Africa, the centre chosen being in the vicinity of Geneva, Switzerland. The school will last three weeks, from the beginning of August, and the leader will be Mr. Chaim Chamiel, of Jerusalem. The studies will be conducted in Hebrew."

Mr. Brian Sandelson, of the World Union of Jewish Students, 60, Marlborough Place, N.W.8, writes: "We have now ready for distribution special leaflets giving full details of extremely cheap travel facilities for students and others wishing to visit Israel or the United States. It will be seen that group travel to Israel, from London, can cost as little as £47 5s. return, the journey from Marseilles to Haifa being undertaken in the new Zim-Shoham liner, Jerusalem. Our American scheme is even more advantageous, £175, payable in sterling in London, covering a comprehensive six-week tour from July 26 to September 6. We also offer specially reduced rates for transatlantic air travel; the return fare from London to New York being £103."

Mr. H. J. Lobenstein, of the Histadrut Zeire Agudas Israel, writes: "As in previous years we shall again have camps for junior and senior boys. The camp for juniors (ages nine to 16) will be held in Langley Park, Norfolk, where we have rented premises with 50 acres of playing fields. The camp will be run by voluntary Madrichim. An announcement about the senior camp will be made shortly. Applications should be addressed to the Central Office in London, 32, Amhurst Park, N.16, or to 35a, Northumberland Street, Manchester, 7."

Mr. S. Friesländer, General Secretary of the Manchester Mizrachi Organisation, writes: "The provincial office of the Mizrachi Organisation have arranged, for the convenience of members and friends, a holiday in Belgium from Sunday, August 2 to Friday, August 14, for a charge of £26, which includes fares and accommodation at the Grand Hotel Dorchester, including all meals, service, and tax. For children under the age of ten there is a 50 per cent reduction. The above is being arranged for a group of 30 people. All meals are under the supervision of the Chief Rabbinate of Brussels. I am also endeavouring to arrange, on behalf of the Provincial Office, a second party for a 13-day holiday in Belgium at the same hotel, from Sunday, August 9, to Friday, August 21, for an inclusive charge of £25."

Mr. Simon Goodman, of Simtours, 28, Southampton Street, W.C.2, writes: "This year as in previous years, Simtours are offering an attractive range of tours for Jewish young people at kasher hotels. The resorts chosen are Engelberg, in Central Switzerland, and Nice, on the French Riviera, with a 13-day trip available from £35 10s. Departures have been arranged for Sundays, July 19, August 2, and 16."

Obituary

RABBI S. I. HILLMAN

Former Dayan of London Beth Din

The death occurred in Jerusalem on Monday, at the age of 86, of Rabbi Samuel Isaac Hillman, who was a Dayan of the London Beth Din from 1914 to 1934.

Rabbi Hillman settled in Israel after retiring as Dayan in London, and devoted himself there to study and writing. He was the author of many learned works, including a 12-volume commentary on the Talmud "Or Hayashar," "Novellae on Mishnayoth Zeraim and Taharoth," and "Notes on the Tenach," and published a book of sermons and orations. He was Hon. Director of the Ohel Torah (Institute of Rabbinic Studies).

The late Rabbi was born in Kovno, and held posts as Rav in Beresino, Russia (from 1897 to 1908), and in Glasgow, until 1914, before his appointment as Dayan.

He is survived by his wife, by his daughter Sarah, the wife of Dr. I. Herzog, Chief Rabbi of Israel, and his son, Mr. David Hillman, the London artist.

Many thousands followed the funeral of Dayan Hillman through the streets of Jerusalem, among them Cabinet Ministers, Members of the Knesset, and leading rabbis and heads of Yeshivot. Funeral orations were delivered by Rabbi Dr. I. Herzog, Rabbi I. Meleer, and by the Minister of Religious Affairs, Mr. Moshe Shapiro, and others. Rabbi Hillman's death caused deep sorrow in Jerusalem, where he was greatly beloved.

MR. BERNARD MILLER

S.G. writes: "Members of the Fulham and Kensington Synagogue heard with deep regret of the death recently, at the age of 70, of Mr. Bernard Miller, who was a Warden of the synagogue for a number of years. He was active in many communal affairs and a generous supporter of charities. His son, Mr. Harold Miller, represents the synagogue at the Board of Deputies.

MRS. FANNY DAVID

The Rev. A. COHEN, of Merthyr, writes: "Mrs. Fanny David, whose sudden death occurred recently, was ever ready to help anybody in distress. With her death the Merthyr branch of Wizo has suffered a grievous loss. The Merthyr Jewish community mourns her deeply."

The death has occurred at Bienne, at the age of 90, of **Dr. Camille Levy**, the oldest Zionist in Switzerland. He was a delegate to the first Zionist Congresses and remained an active worker in the Movement until 1930.

The death occurred in Lucerne recently, at the age of 60, of **Dr. Robert Guggenheim**, for many years Chairman of the Swiss Committee of the Agudas Israel World Organisation and an *ex-officio* member of the Agudist World Executive.

M. Henry Maarek, a veteran leader of the Zionist movement in Tunisia, has died in Tunis. He was a leading Hebraist, edited a number of Jewish journals, and was a member of the Council of the Jewish Community of Tunis. Shortly before his death he was elected a member of the Regional committee of the Alliance Israélite Universelle.

Mr. Samuel Strauss, who died recently in New York at the age of 83, was a former publisher of the NEW YORK EVENING GLOBE, and a treasurer of the NEW YORK TIMES for a few years before 1916.

MR. ABRAHAM MAZER

Mr. Abraham Mazer, who died recently in New York, aged 77, was Chairman of the Board of the Hudson Pulp and Paper Corporation, writes our NEW YORK CORRESPONDENT. Mr. Mazer founded the A. Mazer Free Loan Bank of Israel and was an active worker for the American Friends of the Hebrew University, the Jewish National Fund, the United Jewish Appeal, and the Federation of Jewish Charities. He was also an Hon. Vice-Chairman of the Board of the Yeshiva University and a former director of Maimonides Hospital. He was a leading sponsor of the American-Israeli Paper Mill, now under construction at Hadera.

RECENT WILLS

Sir MONTAGUE BURTON left estate in Great Britain valued at £687,495 (duty paid, £460,604). He stated in his will "On account of the heavy rates of death duties and the burden which may fall on my estate, which makes it uncertain what the net value may be, I am unable as I would otherwise have wished to include in this will any further legacies to personal friends, relations, and charities. I have, however, in my lifetime made substantial settlements and provisions for the purpose of covering such benefits or legacies which otherwise I might have included in my will." Subject to a few small legacies and specific bequests, the residue is left on trust to provide an annuity of not less than £5,000 a year to his wife, and after her death four-fifths is left for his four children or their families, and one-fifth on trust for his brother Bernard for life and then to his children.

Mr. MORRIS ISAAC ISAACSON, Transvaal labour leader, and Jewish communal worker, who died in Johannesburg on April 11, aged 75, left the bulk of his estate, estimated at about £50,000 for providing an educational foundation "which will assist in the improvement of vocational and other educational facilities for persons whom the administrators may deem to be under-privileged European or non-Europeans in the Union of South Africa." In addition, Mr. Isaacson left £1,000 for the South Africa Red Cross Society; £2,000 for the Haifa Technion; £2,000 for the Witwatersrand Jewish Aged Home and £500 for the community centre at the Jabavu Native Township.

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HOME SECTION

HAMPSTEAD'S MAYOR AND MAYORESS

The Royal Visit

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

ON the occasion of the Queen's Coronation visit to Hampstead yesterday (Thursday) the first person due to be presented to her was Mrs. Emanuel Snowman, the first lady and the first Jewish Mayoress of the borough. The Queen was to be received by Mrs. Snowman's husband, the Mayor, and he was then to present his wife to her.

The visit means more to the Snowmans than just a civic function. It is a renewal of a personal friendship. For Mr. Snowman knew the Queen as a small child, and his wife has been present in the Palace on many State occasions.

This, however, was the first time the Mayor had met the Queen on a civic occasion. His frequent visits to Buckingham Palace have been on behalf of Messrs. Wartski, the Court jewellers, of which he is a director.

Mrs. Snowman, mother of grown-up children and grandmother of five, has had to curtail for the time being her work for the Federation of Women Zionists and other Jewish organisations with which she has been closely connected. Her engagements during this busy Coronation time average between five and six a day, a long anticipated holiday in Israel has had to be postponed, and there are clothes to buy for the many important occasions still to come.

As for seeing the Queen when she visits the borough, the junior Snowmans will have to take their chance with all the rest of the sightseers. All except nine-year-old Nicholas Snowman, a grandson, who has been fortunate enough to earn a seat with the school.

FASHION FORTNIGHT

Features of the clothes exhibited by members of the Apparel and Fashion Industry's Association at Gunter's Salon, Stanhope Gate, Park Lane, W.1, during their Coronation year fashion fortnight, were a new material shown for the first time in this country by Brilkie, a maternity three-piece by M. Weisfeld, and a washable and uncrushable evening dress in apricot nylon seersucker, again by Brilkie.

The basis of the new material is ordinary cotton made in Manchester, but with a difference. It is glazed, over-printed, and then embossed, giving a raised beaded shimmering effect.

The material is not expensive, as the dresses shown were designed for every-woman.

The new-style maternity dress for blustery weather consists of a twin-set over an expanding skirt.

Novelties of the day and afternoon dresses shown in worsted, tweed, or wool, were graduated stripes, three-tones of one colour dresses, and velvet or gros-grain trimmings. Woollen skirts for the fuller figure were often cut in the scissor line to whittle away surplus inches.

The garments shown represented only a small selection of the ranges of the 27 exhibitors. The show ended with a coats, skirts, and suits display on Wednesday.

Levanda Models, of Wells Street, W.1, showed this organza ballerina dress in Fashion Fortnight.

Sports and Clubs

ISRAEL'S FINE PLAY IN MOSCOW

One Defeat in Basket-ball Tournament

From a Correspondent

After defeating several national teams at the European basket-ball championship being held at Moscow, the Israeli team was defeated by France by 62 points to 47 points on Tuesday. This was the Israelis' first defeat.

The Israelis had previously defeated Bulgaria, Finland, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Italy, and Sweden. The Lebanon and Egypt refused to play the Israelis, and Israel was awarded both games. It was stated by the European Basket-ball Federation that a further penalty might be imposed on Egypt and the Lebanon.

The fine play by the Israelis has been an outstanding feature of the tournament. Included in the Israeli team are three former members of Alexandria Maccabi, Mixrabi, Cattaui, and Banoun. The Egyptian team includes Zouzi Harari, captain of Cairo Maccabi basket-ball team.

Soviet Russia will now probably win the championship, but Israel has a very good chance of finishing second.

MACCABI BEAT FALKIRK

From our Own Correspondent

TEL AVIV

Tel Aviv Maccabi defeated Falkirk, the Scottish First Division team, by three goals to two here on Tuesday. Falkirk had won their two previous matches against Israeli teams.

OLD VICTORIANS RETAIN BILLIARDS TITLE

In the finals of the London Federation of Boys' Clubs Old Boys' Association Billiards and Snooker Team Championships held at the Old Boys' Club, Mile End Road, E.1, on Thursday of last week, the holders of the billiards title, Old Victorians, defeated Lyndhurst Hall Club, Kentish Town (a non-Jewish club), by two games to one. Oxford Old Boys were defeated in the snooker championship by Lyndhurst by two games to one.

AMATEUR THEATRE PLAN

A proposal to form an Amateur Jewish Theatre was discussed at a meeting held by the Joint Council of the Union of Young Israel Societies and the Federation of Jewish Youth Societies (Southern Region) last week.

FIRST MACCABIAH TRIALS

Impressive Performances

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Athletes from all parts of Britain participated in the first Maccabiah trials, held at Maccabi Stadium, Hendon, on Sunday.

Strong winds and a loose track handicapped the athletes, but there was sufficient evidence that this year's athletics team for the Fourth Maccabiah will be of a higher standard and of greater versatility than that which competed so successfully in the Third Maccabiah.

Irene Laderman winning the women's 100 metres race

A. E. Blumenfeld (son of Mr. Simon Blumenfeld, the writer) winning the men's long-jump with a jump of 20 ft. 10½ ins.

P. A. Jacobs (Birmingham) and Irene Laderman (Stepney) proved again that they were the leading sprinters in the men's and women's events respectively. Stanley Orman dominated the youth (under-18) sprints. John Gold threw the discus over 128 feet, followed by Kemp with 121 feet. F. Silver (2 mins. 2.3 secs.) beat B. Igra (2 mins. 2.4 secs.) in the half-mile. Abrahams easily won the 1,500 metres. Shapiro won the youths' high-jump with 5ft. 6in. M. Rosenbloom, who was second with a jump of 5ft. 4in., showed his great improvement as an all-rounder by winning the youth discus with 112ft. 6in., and reaching 20ft. 2½in. in the long-jump.

Yvonne Kaye reached 109 feet in the women's javelin event. She also won the discus. There was an exciting 100 metres race, which was won by Jacobs. The finalists included Henry Mazin, Harry Kane, and S. Black (Nottingham).

JUNIOR CHAMPIONS

Jewish athletes were very successful in the Middlesex County Junior and Youths' Championships, held at Paddington Recreation Ground last week. Stanley Orman won the 100 yards in 10.5 secs., and the long-jump with 20ft. 11in. Alan Evanchik won the 220 yards.

Sales by Auction, continued from page 4

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AUCTION, without reserve, June 18, London Auction Mart, E.C.4, in 1 lot. Leasehold. 10/13, and 15/21 (con), Grimsby Street, E.2. 1 house and workshop vacant; remaining 9 houses requisitioned at £376 p a net; leases 6½-20 years. Total g r £33.—Particulars from Auctioneers, C. C. & T. Moore, 13, Lime Street, E.C.3. (MAN. 0335/7.)

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YOUNG ISRAEL
J. C. CHILDREN'S SECTION

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THREE CROWNS

By AUNTIE

I HOPE you all enjoyed seeing the Coronation. I am looking forward to your letters telling me all about it. By the way, what do you think of our enlarged number?

Our minds are still full of all the wonderful things that we saw this week, with the grand processions with the gay colours. The music of the rolling drums and the peal of bells are still in our ears, so it will not come amiss if we continue to talk of crowns and coronations.

Those of you who were able to watch the television no doubt remembered that the anointing of our dear Queen was like that of the ancient kings of Israel, and I hope you took particular note of the Bracelets. No doubt you heard the organ swell into Handel's glorious Coronation music, while the choir sang the lovely anthem: "Zadok, the priest and Nathan the prophet anointed Solomon king; and all the people rejoiced and said God save the king. Long live the king. May the king live for ever. Amen. Hallelujah."

Inner Nobility

Rabbi Simeon ben Yochai says in next week's chapter of the "Ethics of the Fathers": "There are three crowns: the crown of learning, the crown of priesthood, and the crown of royalty; but the crown of a good name excels them all." Another learned man commented on this, and said that a man attains priesthood and royalty by heredity, but when a man bears a good name, then we know outward honours are combined with inner nobility.

When you are in synagogue look carefully when the Sefer Torah is taken out of the Ark. The crown, which is usually made of gilded silver with bells, bears the Hebrew words כתר תורה (Crown of the Law). It ornaments the upper ends of the handles of the Sefer Torah. In the picture on this page you will see the crown upheld by two crowned lions of Judah, which are regarded as symbols of strength. Sometimes you will see similar emblems on the Sefer Torah cover or the curtain of the Ark. Look carefully to see if you can find them, and remember that the Torah is a source of inspiration as well as a source of strength. The verse, "Know before whom thou standest," is often written over the Ark.

The Talmud tells us that the three burnt offerings corresponded to the three crowns that Israel received from their God, the crown of the Torah, the crown of the Priesthood, and the crown of the Kingdom. For this reason, golden crowns were fashioned on the Ark in which the Torah was kept, on the altar on which the priests offered sacrifices, and also on the table that symbolises the Kingdom. But the highest of all is the crown of a good name, which a man earns through good deeds, for the crucial test is not the study of the Torah, but the life conforming to it.

The Holy Ark contained the Tablets of the Law, hence it became a model or pattern to the religious teacher. The Ark was the first of the three vessels which had a golden crown. The crown of the Altar was given to Aaron and to the Priests. The crown of the Table was given to David and to the Kingdom, but the great crown of the Ark, representing the Torah, was free for anyone to make it his own. A man who gave himself up to the study of the Torah could possess that crown.

Solomon ibn Gabirol, a very famous Jewish poet who was born in Spain about 1022, has written many beautiful poems, and the greatest of them is entitled: "The Royal Crown." This has been translated into English verse by Israel Zangwill, and Gabirol says, in the introductory lines to the poem: "The wondrous ways of God inspired this song of praise, that it may help mankind find the path of right and worth."

In our Prayer Book is a beautiful poem, by Judah the Pious (who died in 1217), called "The Hymn of Glory." Some verses in it describe God pictured as a King, who has been crowned by the will of His people: "For grace and glory, beauty and splendour His people hath encircled Him with a crown. . . . May His treasured people be a crown in His hand, a royal diadem of glorious beauty. They were borne by Him. He carried them; with a crown He did adorn them. . . . Let my praise be a crown unto Thy head, and my prayer as incense offered."

OUR FUNDS

OLD PEOPLE'S COMFORT FUND

The League is trying to collect £30 to provide extra fruit, sweets, and tobacco for the old folk in the Home for Aged Jews. Will everyone who appreciates these comforts send a donation.

A Coronation gift, 2/6.

Total to date: £27 14s.

(Will you send a similar gift to help complete this fund?)

Jewish Orphanage: Irene Brozell, "her pocket-money," 2/6.

Jewish Blind Society: Joanna, 1/-.

THE CROWN OF LIFE

This illustration is an example of a *Mizrach*, or ornamental picture which is sometimes hung on the Eastern wall of a Jewish home. It shows the direction of Jerusalem, towards which one faces in saying the *Amidah* prayer.

Beneath the *Mizrach* are these words in German: "In Memory of Rabbi Dr. Felix Goldmann" (who was born in London and became Communal Rabbi of Leipzig). It belongs to Mr. Aron Sprei, who brought it to Britain when he left Leipzig as a refugee from the Nazis.

Under the Hebrew word *Mizrach* (*i.e.*, "East") is a Hebrew anagram of four words made up from its four letters. The words of the anagram mean: "From this side is the breath of life."

The English translation of the Hebrew words in the scroll is: "Know before whom thou standest, before the supreme King of kings."

"God bless you with a crown of glory and righteousness, that having a right faith and manifold fruit of good works, you may obtain the crown of an everlasting kingdom by the gift of Him whose kingdom endureth for ever."—From last Tuesday's Coronation Service.

AUNTIE REPLIES

ANTHONY and RUTH, Southgate.—Will you kindly inform Avril and Regina that the answer is in the negative?

E.B., Hemel Hempstead.—Your long and interesting letter supplied many of the details which had been missing, but no mention was made of the group of friends of former days. Only one writes to me at very long intervals and her daughter joined "the-once-only" group. Let me know when you start on your travels again.

KENNETH P. BERNSTEIN, Sheffield.—Many happy returns. All the birthday presents were very welcome.

NITA S. BLAND, Leeds.—Very many thanks for your letter and enclosure. I do not send books.

LISA BLANK, Stockport.—It was good of you to send a contribution for the chronic invalids. What was her maiden name?

ANNE BODLANDER, Clapton.—You forgot to give your surname and address, so I hope that I have picked out the right Anne. Thank you very much for the letter, snaps, and pocket-money.

ROBERT J. BROOKS, Stepney.—I do thank you sincerely for your help. Do not wait until you are grown up to carry out your intention, but begin now.

SUZANNE BRUMAN, New York.—It is, indeed, a pleasure to add another member of your family to my list of members and to learn that the paper is received regularly, and the supplement is "interesting, heart-warming, and friendly." Thank you very much for sending me a present for Harvey's birthday.

H.C., Highgate.—I do hope that you are making good progress.

DOREEN CITRON, Dublin.—You will like it when you are really hard at work again. Both gifts were truly appreciated.

ALAN H. COHEN, Llanelly.—You are one of my few members who regularly share their birthday gifts with those not so fortunate. I send my grateful thanks and best wishes for all success during the year.

MARGARET COWAN, Manchester.—How fortunate you are to have one for yourself only. I expect a long letter telling me all about the wonderful trip. So many thanks for your donation.

CAREERS ADVICE

Industrial Art Bursaries (1)

The winners of the Industrial Art Bursaries of the Royal Society of Arts are given opportunities of travelling abroad, which enable them to study the methods of Continental industrial design.

Over the years these competitions have directed the attention of many young designers to sections of industrial design which they might otherwise not have considered possible openings for their later careers. From a survey it is seen that the majority of bursary winners in recent years state that their present employment is due, in part, to their having being successful competitors in the Royal Society of Arts. The programme for the Society's 1953 competition will be dealt with next week.

[TO BE CONCLUDED]

PLEASE WRITE . . .

Correspondents are wanted by:

Barbara Brampton, 1, Marlborough House, Green Lanes, N.4, senior boys living anywhere except in the British Isles, keen on dancing, general information, and sport.

Shirley Greenfield, 7, Ickburgh Road, Clapton, E.5, aged 9, living in Canada or Australia, fond of art, dancing, and music.

Valerie Ann Land, 448, Kingsland Road, Dalston, E.8, girls aged 10, living anywhere outside the British Isles, hobbies: dancing and collecting stamps.

Judith Lee, 44, Clifton Road, Kenton, Middlesex, aged 9 to 12, living in Israel, hobby: stamp collecting.

Sheila Margolis, 231, Lordship Lane, Tottenham, N.17, senior boys living on the Continent, in the Dominions, or the U.S.A., chief interests: dancing, general subjects, and sport.

Avril Michaels, 87, Arnos Grove, Southgate, N.14, aged 13 or 14, living in France, Belgium, or Switzerland, interested in French and general subjects.

Madeline Miller, 326, Arlington Avenue, Jersey City, 4, New Jersey, U.S.A., hobbies: clay-modelling and music.

Anne Morrison, 92, Stepney Green Buildings, Stepney Green, E.1, Americans aged 12 or 13, keen on books, drawing, stamp collecting, and writing.

Alan and Peter Orrelle, 30, Paget Road, Stoke Newington, N.16, boys aged 6 or 9, living in any part of the world, interested in stamps.

CORONATION COMPETITION

The competition this time ought to appeal strongly to all our members, and I am looking forward to a large number of entries. Careful attention should be paid to the rules.

SENIORS and JUNIORS. Prizes will be awarded for a description of "What I liked best about the Coronation."

RULES:

1. All entrants must be members of the League (juniors under 13).
2. The name, age, and address of the competitor must be written on the first page; and only one side of the paper used.
3. Entries must be received by July 16.

SHAVUOT COMPETITION RESULTS

There were fewer entries than usual; many were badly drawn or written and the age of the competitor was missing on some of them.

SENIORS

Prize winner: Irene Brozell (14), 318, London Road, Westcliff-on-Sea.

Highly commended: Michael D. Kustow (Golders Green) and Rachel Wertheim (Green Lanes).

Commended: Regina Seruya (Cricklewood).

JUNIORS

Prize winner: Carl Evans (11), 83, Everett Street, West Hartlepool.

Highly commended: Esther Jung (10) (Golders Green) and Louise Sager (12) (Westcliff-on-Sea).

Commended: Vivienne Beber (10) (Golders Green); Eve Nabarro (7) (Cricklewood); Felice D. Shepherd (10) (Hove); Alan I. Jacobs (9) (Islington); and Jane Weiner (10) (St. John's Wood).

A consolation prize has been awarded to the youngest competitor, Danielle Salomon (4½), 69, St. Ann's Road, N.15.

CORONATION ITEMS

The youngest person to take an active part in the Coronation Service held by the Association for Jewish Youth at the East London Synagogue, was 11-year-old David Mesquita. David is a member of the choir of the Spanish and Portuguese Congregation at Bevis Marks. Together with his adult colleagues he came to sing psalms in the setting of the candelabra and stained-glass windows of the beautiful synagogue in Stepney Green. Participation in synagogue activities is something of a family tradition for him, as his grandfather, the Rev. J. Gomes de Mesquita, was for 30 years Hazan of the Bevis Marks Synagogue.

Two other boys who stepped into the pulpit on this occasion to read passages from the Scriptures were 14-year-old Sidney Solomons and Colman Hyams, who was dressed in the uniform which he wears as a member of the Jewish Lads' Brigade.

YOUNG ISRAEL LEAGUE
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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June 5, 1953

A hearty welcome is given to Lisa Blank (Stockport), Josephine Bloom (Golders Green), Robert R. Brooks (Stepney), Suzanne Bruman (New York), Judith J. Collins (Middlesbrough), Ann Cohen (Salford), Patricia A. Davis (Glasgow), Myra Gessman (Mattapan), Eleanor S. Green (Stamford Hill), Helen Kaye (Golders Green), Michael and Victor S. Kleerekoper (Sydney), Ruth Kustow (Golders Green), Judith Lee (Kenton), Michael Lyons (Hove), Avril Mablin (Leyton), Alan S. and Peter H. Orrelle (Stoke Newington), Doreen Posner (Willesden Green), Patricia Raislow (Birmingham), Adrian Refson (Sunderland), Carolyn I. Richardson (Streatham), Ruth Rubens (East Finchley), Ruth Schreiber (Edgware), Sandra Shevil (Johannesburg), Irene Sievers (Pinner), Judith Spector (Stoke Newington), Rachel Wertheim (Green Lanes), and Linda Weston (Kensington).

HOSPITAL SUNDAY
7th JUNE

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Jewish Cookery

GOOSEBERRIES

Gooseberry Charlotte

Gooseberries, 1½ lb.; breadcrumbs, 4 oz.; brown sugar; margarine.

TOP and tail gooseberries and cook till tender, adding very little water and sugar to taste. Grease a fireproof dish and put in a thick layer of breadcrumbs, then half the gooseberries; repeat the layers and have a top layer of breadcrumbs. Sprinkle with brown sugar, dot with margarine, and bake in a moderately hot oven till hot through and the top well browned—about 30 minutes.

Gooseberry Steffon

SPREAD the bottom and sides of a pudding-basin very liberally with margarine, add a good layer of brown sugar, then line with suet or short crust. Half fill with gooseberries, sprinkle with sugar, then fill with gooseberries; sprinkle again with sugar and pour in half a teacupful of water. Cover with crust, twist a greased paper over the top, and bake in a moderate oven about 1½ hours. Serve turned out on to a hot dish.

Gooseberry Sponge

Gooseberries, 1 lb.; golden syrup, 2 level tablespoonfuls; selfraising flour, 4 oz.; margarine, 2 oz.; castor sugar, 2 oz.; 1 egg.

TOP and tail gooseberries, put in a baking dish with the golden syrup and 2 tablespoonfuls of water and heat through in the oven. Cream the margarine and sugar, add the beaten egg, then the flour and a spoonful or two of milk or water to make a dropping consistency. Spread smoothly over the warmed gooseberries and bake in a moderate oven about 50 minutes.

Gooseberry Trifle

PUT a layer of sponge cakes or sliced swiss roll in a glass bowl; cover with stewed gooseberries, then add a layer of boiled custard. Garnish with whipped cream and glacé cherries or chocolate granules.

Crispy Gooseberry Tart

LINE a deep tart tin or round glass oven dish with pastry; put in a good layer of gooseberries (cut across if large), sprinkle with sugar, and cover with another thin layer of pastry. Spread the top thinly with golden syrup and sprinkle with brown sugar. Bake about 40 minutes, the first 15 minutes 425°—Regulo No. 6, then reduce till the pastry is cooked.

Gooseberry Sauce

Green gooseberries, ½ lb.; margarine, 1 oz.; water, ¼ pt.; sugar, 1 oz.

STEW gooseberries in the water till soft then rub through a sieve; return to the saucepan, add sugar and margarine, and reheat. Serve with boiled mackerel or roast mutton.

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HOME SECTION

HAMPSTEAD'S MAYOR AND MAYORESS

The Royal Visit

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

ON the occasion of the Queen's Coronation visit to Hampstead yesterday (Thursday) the first person due to be presented to her was Mrs. Emanuel Snowman, the first lady and the first Jewish Mayoress of the borough. The Queen was to be received by Mrs. Snowman's husband, the Mayor, and he was then to present his wife to her.

The visit means more to the Snowmans than just a civic function. It is a renewal of a personal friendship. For Mr. Snowman knew the Queen as a small child, and his wife has been present in the Palace on many State occasions.

This, however, was the first time the Mayor had met the Queen on a civic occasion. His frequent visits to Buckingham Palace have been on behalf of Messrs. Wartski, the Court jewellers, of which he is a director.

Mrs. Snowman, mother of grown-up children and grandmother of five, has had to curtail for the time being her work for the Federation of Women Zionists and other Jewish organisations with which she has been closely connected. Her engagements during this busy Coronation time average between five and six a day, a long anticipated holiday in Israel has had to be postponed; and there are clothes to buy for the many important occasions still to come.

As for seeing the Queen when she visits the borough, the junior Snowmans will have to take their chance with all the rest of the sightseers. All except nine-year-old Nicholas Snowman, a grandson, who has been fortunate enough to earn a seat with the school.

FASHION FORTNIGHT

Features of the clothes exhibited by members of the Apparel and Fashion Industry's Association at Gunter's Salon, Stanhope Gate, Park Lane, W.1, during their Coronation year fashion fortnight, were a new material shown for the first time in this country by Brilkie, a maternity three-piece by M. Weisfeld, and a washable and uncrushable evening dress in apricot nylon seersucker, again by Brilkie.

The basis of the new material is ordinary cotton made in Manchester, but with a difference. It is glazed, overprinted, and then embossed, giving a raised beaded shimmering effect.

The material is not expensive, as the dresses shown were designed for everywoman.

The new-style maternity dress for blustery weather consists of a twin-set over an expanding skirt.

Novelties of the day and afternoon dresses shown in worsted, tweed, or wool, were graduated stripes, three-tones of one colour dresses, and velvet or gros-grain trimmings. Woollen skirts for the fuller figure were often cut in the scissor line to whittle away surplus inches.

The garments shown represented only a small selection of the ranges of the 27 exhibitors. The show ended with a coats, skirts, and suits display on Wednesday.

Levanda Models, of Wells Street, W.1, showed this organza ballerina dress in Fashion Fortnight.

Sports and Clubs

ISRAEL'S FINE PLAY IN MOSCOW

One Defeat in Basket-ball Tournament

From a Correspondent

After defeating several national teams at the European basket-ball championship being held at Moscow, the Israeli team was defeated by France by 62 points to 47 points on Tuesday. This was the Israelis' first defeat.

The Israelis had previously defeated Bulgaria, Finland, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Italy, and Sweden. The Lebanon and Egypt refused to play the Israelis, and Israel was awarded both games. It was stated by the European Basket-ball Federation that a further penalty might be imposed on Egypt and the Lebanon.

The fine play by the Israelis has been an outstanding feature of the tournament. Included in the Israeli team are three former members of Alexandria Maccabi, Mixrabi, Cattaui, and Banoun. The Egyptian team includes Zouzi Harari, captain of Cairo Maccabi basket-ball team.

Soviet Russia will now probably win the championship, but Israel has a very good chance of finishing second.

MACCABI BEAT FALKIRK

From our Own Correspondent

TEL AVIV

Tel Aviv Maccabi defeated Falkirk, the Scottish First Division team, by three goals to two here on Tuesday. Falkirk had won their two previous matches against Israeli teams.

OLD VICTORIANS RETAIN BILLIARDS TITLE

In the finals of the London Federation of Boys' Clubs Old Boys' Association Billiards and Snooker Team Championships held at the Old Boys' Club, Mile End Road, E.1, on Thursday of last week, the holders of the billiards title, Old Victorians, defeated Lyndhurst Hall Club, Kentish Town (a non-Jewish club), by two games to one. Oxford Old Boys were defeated in the snooker championship by Lyndhurst by two games to one.

AMATEUR THEATRE PLAN

A proposal to form an Amateur Jewish Theatre was discussed at a meeting held by the Joint Council of the Union of Young Israel Societies and the Federation of Jewish Youth Societies (Southern Region) last week.

FIRST MACCABIAH TRIALS

Impressive Performances

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Athletes from all parts of Britain participated in the first Maccabiah trials, held at Maccabi Stadium, Hendon, on Sunday.

Strong winds and a loose track handicapped the athletes, but there was sufficient evidence that this year's athletics team for the Fourth Maccabiah will be of a higher standard and of greater versatility than that which competed so successfully in the Third Maccabiah.

Irene Laderman winning the women's 100 metres race

A. E. Blumenfeld (son of Mr. Simon Blumenfeld, the writer) winning the men's long-jump with a jump of 20 ft. 10½ ins.

P. A. Jacobs (Birmingham) and Irene Laderman (Stepney) proved again that they were the leading sprinters in the men's and women's events respectively. Stanley Orman dominated the youth (under-18) sprints. John Gold threw the discus over 128 feet, followed by Kemp with 121 feet. F. Silver (2 mins. 2.3 secs.) beat B. Igra (2 mins. 2.4 secs.) in the half-mile. Abrahams easily won the 1,500 metres. Shapiro won the youths' high-jump with 5ft. 6in. M. Rosenbloom, who was second with a jump of 5ft. 4in., showed his great improvement as an all-rounder by winning the youth discus with 112ft. 6in., and reaching 20ft. 2½in. in the long-jump.

Yvonne Kaye reached 109 feet in the women's javelin event. She also won the discus. There was an exciting 100 metres race, which was won by Jacobs. The finalists included Henry Martin, Harry Kane, and S. Black (Nottingham).

JUNIOR CHAMPIONS

Jewish athletes were very successful in the Middlesex County Junior and Youths' Championships, held at Paddington Recreation Ground last week. Stanley Orman won the 100 yards in 10.5 secs. and the long-jump with 20ft. 11in. Alan Evanchik won the 220 yards.

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YOUNG ISRAEL
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THREE CROWNS

By AUNTIE

I HOPE you all enjoyed seeing the Coronation. I am looking forward to your letters telling me all about it. By the way, what do you think of our enlarged number?

Our minds are still full of all the wonderful things that we saw this week, with the grand processions with the gay colours. The music of the rolling drums and the peal of bells are still in our ears, so it will not come amiss if we continue to talk of crowns and coronations.

Those of you who were able to watch the television no doubt remembered that the anointing of our dear Queen was like that of the ancient kings of Israel, and I hope you took particular note of the Bracelets. No doubt you heard the organ swell into Handel's glorious Coronation music, while the choir sang the lovely anthem: "Zadok the priest and Nathan the prophet anointed Solomon king: and all the people rejoiced and said God save the king. Long live the king. May the king live for ever. Amen. Hallelujah."

Inner Nobility

Rabbi Simeon ben Yochai says in next week's chapter of the "Ethics of the Fathers": "There are three crowns: the crown of learning, the crown of priesthood, and the crown of royalty; but the crown of a good name excels them all." Another learned man commented on this, and said that a man attains priesthood and royalty by heredity, but when a man bears a good name, then we know outward honours are combined with inner nobility.

When you are in synagogue look carefully when the Sefer Torah is taken out of the Ark. The crown, which is usually made of gilded silver with bells, bears the Hebrew words כתר תורה (Crown of the Law). It ornaments the upper ends of the handles of the Sefer Torah. In the picture on this page you will see the crown upheld by two crowned lions of Judah, which are regarded as symbols of strength. Sometimes you will see similar emblems on the Sefer Torah cover or the curtain of the Ark. Look carefully to see if you can find them, and remember that the Torah is a source of inspiration as well as a source of strength. The verse, "Know before whom thou standest," is often written over the Ark.

The Talmud tells us that the three burnt offerings corresponded to the three crowns that Israel received from their God, the crown of the Torah, the crown of the Priesthood, and the crown of the Kingdom. For this reason, golden crowns were fashioned on the Ark in which the Torah was kept, on the altar on which the priests offered sacrifices, and also on the table that symbolises the Kingdom. But the highest of all is the crown of a good name, which a man earns through good deeds, for the crucial test is not the study of the Torah, but the life conforming to it.

The Holy Ark contained the Tablets of the Law, hence it became a model or pattern to the religious teacher. The Ark was the first of the three vessels which had a golden crown. The crown of the Altar was given to Aaron and to the Priests. The crown of the Table was given to David and to the Kingdom, but the great crown of the Ark, representing the Torah, was free for anyone to make it his own. A man who gave himself up to the study of the Torah could possess that crown.

Solomon ibn Gabirol, a very famous Jewish poet who was born in Spain about 1022, has written many beautiful poems, and the greatest of them is entitled: "The Royal Crown." This has been translated into English verse by Israel Zangwill and Gabirol says, in the introductory lines to the poem: "The wondrous ways of God inspired this song of praise, that it may help mankind find the path of right and worth."

In our Prayer Book is a beautiful poem, by Judah the Pious (who died in 1217), called "The Hymn of Glory." Some verses in it describe God pictured as a King, who has been crowned by the will of His people: "For grace and glory, beauty and splendour His people hath encircled Him with a crown. . . . May His treasured people be a crown in His hand, a royal diadem of glorious beauty. They were borne by Him, He carried them; with a crown He did adorn them. . . . Let my praise be a crown unto Thy head, and my prayer as incense offered."

OUR FUNDS

OLD PEOPLE'S COMFORT FUND

The League is trying to collect £30 to provide extra fruit, sweets, and tobacco for the old folk in the Home for Aged Jews. Will everyone who appreciates these comforts send a donation.

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Jewish Blind Society: Joanna, 1/-.

THE CROWN OF LIFE

This illustration is an example of a *Mizrach*, or ornamental picture which is sometimes hung on the Eastern wall of a Jewish home. It shows the direction of Jerusalem, towards which one faces in saying the *Amidah* prayer.

Beneath the *Mizrach* are these words in German: "In Memory of Rabbi Dr. Felix Goldmann" (who was born in London and became Communal Rabbi of Leipzig). It belongs to Mr. Aron Sprei, who brought it to Britain when he left Leipzig as a refugee from the Nazis.

Under the Hebrew word *Mizrach* (*i.e.*, "East") is a Hebrew anagram of four words made up from its four letters. The words of the anagram mean: "From this side is the breath of life."

The English translation of the Hebrew words in the scroll is: "Know before whom thou standest, before the supreme King of kings."

"God bless you with a crown of glory and righteousness, that having a right faith and manifold fruit of good works, you may obtain the crown of an everlasting kingdom by the gift of Him whose kingdom endureth for ever."—From last Tuesday's Coronation Service.

AUNTIE REPLIES

ANTHONY and RUTH, Southgate.—Will you kindly inform Avril and Regina that the answer is in the negative?

E.B., Hemel Hempstead.—Your long and interesting letter supplied many of the details which had been missing, but no mention was made of the group of friends of former days. Only one writes to me at very long intervals and her daughter joined "the-once-only" group. Let me know when you start on your travels again.

KENNETH P. BERNSTEIN, Sheffield.—Many happy returns. All the birthday presents were very welcome.

NITA S. BLAND, Leeds.—Very many thanks for your letter and enclosure. I do not send books.

LISA BLANK, Stockport.—It was good of you to send a contribution for the chronic invalids. What was her maiden name?

ANNE BODEANDER, Clapton.—You forgot to give your surname and address, so I hope that I have picked out the right Anne. Thank you very much for the letter, snaps, and pocket-money.

ROBERT J. BROOKS, Stepney.—I do thank you sincerely for your help. Do not wait until you are grown up to carry out your intention, but begin now.

SUZANNE BRUMAN, New York.—It is, indeed, a pleasure to add another member of your family to my list of members and to learn that the paper is received regularly, and the supplement is "interesting, heart-warming, and friendly." Thank you very much for sending me a present for Harvey's birthday.

H.C., Highgate.—I do hope that you are making good progress.

DOREEN CITRON, Dublin.—You will like it when you are really hard at work again. Both gifts were truly appreciated.

ALAN H. COHEN, Llanelly.—You are one of my few members who regularly share their birthday gifts with those not so fortunate. I send my grateful thanks and best wishes for all success during the year.

MARGARET COWAN, Manchester.—How fortunate you are to have one for yourself only. I expect a long letter telling me all about the wonderful trip. So many thanks for your donation.

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Madeline Miller, 326, Arlington Avenue, Jersey City, 4, New Jersey, U.S.A., hobbies: clay-modelling and music.

Anne Morrison, 92, Stepney Green Buildings, Stepney Green, E.1, Americans aged 12 or 13, keen on books, drawing, stamp collecting, and writing.

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CORONATION COMPETITION

The competition this time ought to appeal strongly to all our members, and I am looking forward to a large number of entries. Careful attention should be paid to the rules.

SENIORS and JUNIORS. Prizes will be awarded for a description of "What I liked best about the Coronation."

RULES:

1. All entrants must be members of the League (juniors under 13).
2. The name, age, and address of the competitor must be written on the first page; and only one side of the paper used.
3. Entries must be received by July 16.

SHAVUOT COMPETITION RESULTS

There were fewer entries than usual; many were badly drawn or written and the age of the competitor was missing on some of them.

SENIORS

Prize winner: Irene Brozell (14), 318, London Road, Westcliff-on-Sea.

Highly commended: Michael D. Kustow (Golders Green) and Rachel Wertheim (Green Lanes).

Commended: Regina Serusa (Cricklewood).

JUNIORS

Prize winner: Carl Evans (11), 83, Everett Street, West Hartlepool.

Highly commended: Esther Jung (10) (Golders Green) and Louise Sager (12) (Westcliff-on-Sea).

Commended: Vivienne Bebef (10) (Golders Green); Eve Nabarro (7) (Cricklewood); Felice D. Shepherd (10) (Hove); Alan I. Jacobs (9) (Islington); and Jane Weiner (10) (St. John's Wood).

A consolation prize has been awarded to the youngest competitor, Danielle Salomon (4½), 69, St. Ann's Road, N.15.

CORONATION ITEMS

The youngest person to take an active part in the Coronation Service held by the Association for Jewish Youth at the East London Synagogue, was 11-year-old David Mesquita. David is a member of the choir of the Spanish and Portuguese Congregation at Bevis Marks. Together with his adult colleagues he came to sing psalms in the setting of the candelabra and stained-glass windows of the beautiful synagogue in Stepney Green. Participation in synagogue activities is something of a family tradition for him, as his grandfather, the Rev. J. Gomes de Mesquita, was for 30 years Hazan of the Bevis Marks Synagogue.

Two other boys who stepped into the pulpit on this occasion to read passages from the Scriptures were 14-year-old Sidney Solomons and Colman Hyams, who was dressed in the uniform which he wears as a member of the Jewish Lads' Brigade.

YOUNG ISRAEL LEAGUE
MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

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June 5, 1953

A hearty welcome is given to Lisa Blank (Stockport), Josephine Bloom (Golders Green), Robert R. Brooks (Stepney), Suzanne Bruman (New York), Judith J. Collins (Middlesbrough), Ann Cohen (Salford), Patricia A. Davis (Glasgow), Myra Gessman (Mattapan), Eleanor S. Green (Stamford Hill), Helen Kaye (Golders Green), Michael and Victor S. Kleerekoper (Sydney), Ruth Kustow (Golders Green), Judith Lee (Kenton), Michael Lyons (Hove), Avril Mablin (Leyton), Alan S. and Peter H. Orrelle (Stoke Newington), Doreen Posner (Willesden Green), Patricia Raisfow (Birmingham), Adrian Refson (Sunderland), Carolyn I. Richardson (Streatham), Ruth Rubens (East Finchley), Ruth Schreiber (Edgware), Sandra Shevil (Johannesburg), Irene Sievers (Pinner), Judith Spector (Stoke Newington), Rachel Wertheim (Green Lanes), and Linda Weston (Kensington).

Jewish Cookery

GOOSEBERRIES

Gooseberry Charlotte

Gooseberries, 1½ lb.; breadcrumbs, 4 oz.; brown sugar; margarine.

TOP and tail gooseberries and cook till tender, adding very little water and sugar to taste. Grease a fireproof dish and put in a thick layer of breadcrumbs, then half the gooseberries; repeat the layers and have a top layer of breadcrumbs. Sprinkle with brown sugar, dot with margarine, and bake in a moderately hot oven till hot through and the top well browned—about 30 minutes.

Gooseberry Steffon

SPREAD the bottom and sides of a pudding-basin very liberally with margarine, add a good layer of brown sugar, then line with suet or short crust. Half fill with gooseberries, sprinkle with sugar, then fill with gooseberries; sprinkle again with sugar and pour in half a teacupful of water. Cover with crust, twist a greased paper over the top, and bake in a moderate oven about 1½ hours. Serve turned out on to a hot dish.

Gooseberry Sponge

Gooseberries, 1 lb.; golden syrup, 2 level tablespoonfuls; selfraising flour, 4 oz.; margarine, 2 oz.; castor sugar, 2 oz.; 1 egg.

TOP and tail gooseberries, put in a baking dish with the golden syrup and 2 tablespoonfuls of water and heat through in the oven. Cream the margarine and sugar, add the beaten egg, then the flour and a spoonful or two of milk or water to make a dropping consistency. Spread smoothly over the warmed gooseberries and bake in a moderate oven about 50 minutes.

Gooseberry Trifle

PUT a layer of sponge cakes or sliced swiss roll in a glass bowl; cover with stewed gooseberries, then add a layer of boiled custard. Garnish with whipped cream and glacé cherries or chocolate granules.

Crispy Gooseberry Tart

LINE a deep tart tin or round glass oven dish with pastry; put in a good layer of gooseberries (cut across if large), sprinkle with sugar, and cover with another thin layer of pastry. Spread the top thinly with golden syrup and sprinkle with brown sugar. Bake about 40 minutes, the first 15 minutes 425°—Regulo No. 6, then reduce till the pastry is cooked.

Gooseberry Sauce

Green gooseberries, ½ lb.; margarine, 1 oz.; water, ½ pt.; sugar, 1 oz.

STEW gooseberries in the water till soft then rub through a sieve; return to the saucepan, add sugar and margarine, and reheat. Serve with boiled mackerel or roast mutton.

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BERKELEY, W.1 (Mus. 8150) **Edouard et Caroline** (a). **Marriage of Figaro** (u). Com. Sun., Gobbi, **Glass Mountain** (a)

CARLTON, Haymarket **Stalag 17** (a). William Holden, Don Taylor. Weekdays cont. 10.58. Suns. cont. 4.30

CONTINENTALE, W.1 (Mus. 4193) **Snake of Death** (x). Eisenstein's **Alexander Nevsky** (u)

CURZON (Gro. 3737) **Adorable Creatures** (x). Progs. 12.5, 2.15, 4.25, 6.40, 8.50

DOMINION, Tott. Crt. Rd. Com. June 7. **Hangman's Knot** (u) (Tech.). **Coronation Day** (u) (col.). Wkdys.: **Eight Iron Men** (a)

EMPIRE (Ger. 1234) **Young Bess** (u) (Tech.) On New Panoramic Screen with Stereophonic sound. 10.20, 12.55, 3.35, 6.15, 8.55

ENVOY CINEMA, Kilburn High Road (Mai. 6767) June 7, 7 days. Odette Joyeux, Roger Blin, **Passionelle** (x—Adults only). **Four Days** (a).

ESSOLDO, Kilburn (Mai. 6566) June 8, 6 days. **Elizabeth is Queen** (u). Burt Lancaster, **Ten Tall Men** (u) (Technicolor)

GAUMONT, Hmkt. All I Desire (a). **Meet Me At the Fair** (u) (Tech.). Progs. 1.0, 4.10, 7.25. Sun. 4.30, 7.15. Doors 4.0

GAUMONT STATE, Kilburn Com. June 8. **Rainbow Round My Shoulder** (u) (in Tech.) **My Six Convicts** (a). **Coronation Day** (u)

GOLDERS GREEN LIDO June 8, 7 days. **Elizabeth Is Queen** (u) (WarnerColor). Mervyn Johns, C. Evans, **Valley of Song** (u)

GOLDERS GREEN REGAL June 8, 6 days. **A Queen Is Crowned** (u). 2.55, 6.5, 9.10

HAMPSTEAD PLAYHOUSE (Pri. 6868) June 8, 6 days. **Elizabeth Is Queen** (u). **Woman of Distinction** (u)

HENDON NEW CLASSIC (Hen. 6631) June 7 for 7 days. **La Ronde** (x), & **The Southerner**

LEIC. SQ. TH. Dinah Sheridan, John Gregson, Kay Kendall. **Genevieve** (u) (Tech.). 1.40, 4.15, 6.45, 9.20. Sun., 5.35, 8.35

LONDON PAV. Dennis O'Keefe, Coleen Gray, **The Fake** (u). John Payne, Donna Reed, **Raiders of the Seven Seas** (u)

MARBLE ARCH PAV. Jack Hawkins, Donald Sinden, Denholm Elliott, **The Cruel Sea** (u). 12.5, 2.15, 5.5, 7.55. Sundays 4.30, 7.15

NEW GALLERY Samuel Goldwyn's **Hans Christian Andersen** (u). Danny Kaye (Tech.). 1.5, 3.40, 6.15, 8.50. Sun. drs. 4.0

NEW VICTORIA (opp. Vic. stn.) Com. June 7. **A Queen is Crowned** (u) (colour by Technicolor). Lew Ayres in **No Escape** (u)

ODEON, Leic. Sq. Com. June 6, on the new wide screen. The only full-length Tech. film of the Coronation: **A Queen is Crowned** (u). **Take Me to Town** (u) (Tech.)

ODEON, Marble Arch Fredric March, **Man on a Tightrope** (a). **The Farmer Takes a Wife** (u) (Tech.). Drs. 12.30. Sun. 4.0

ODEON, Hendon June 8, 6 ddys. **A Queen is Crowned** (u) (Technicolor). Lew Ayres, Sonny Tufts, Marjorie Steele, **No Escape** (u)

ODEON, Swiss Cottage June 8, 6 days. **A Queen Is Crowned** (u). 12.20, 3.15, 6.15, 9.15. Sonny Tufts, L. Ayres, **No Escape** (u)

ODEON, Temple Fortune June 8, 6 days. **A Queen is Crowned** (u). Sonny Tufts, Lew Ayres, **No Escape** (u). L.p. 7.25

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RITZ, Leic. Sq. (Ger. 1234) Cont. from 10 a.m. Suns. from 4.30 p.m. Jose Ferrer in John Huston's **Moulin Rouge** (a) (Tech.)

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GUYS AND DOLLS

A Damon Runyon story, peopled with some of his queerest characters, forms the basis of "Guys and Dolls," the new American musical at the Coliseum Theatre. It is all about a bunch of flashy, disreputable gamblers whose souls are eventually saved by Salvation Army missioners. Vivian Blaine makes a cute, mincing, night-club singer ambitious for married respectability, which her long-term fiancé, Sam Levene (a crap game promoter), is equally bent on evading. As a prim Salvation Army miss, Lizbeth Webb almost runs away with the show. Jerry Wayne is a good-looking gambler with an unsuspected conscience. In general the lyrics outshine the music; the catchy songs are far better than the sentimental ones; and some flashes of real wit illuminate much inane dialogue. Dance numbers by the crap-shooters are put over with great verve and precision.
S.E.

TWELFTH NIGHT

The 21st year and the Coronation year in the Open Air Theatre in Regent's Park finds Robert Atkins as complete a master of the art as ever before. His Sir Toby in the production of "Twelfth Night," although true to every tradition, is a joy to the beholder and a lesson in timing, subtlety, and precision. The weather cannot damp him nor prevent him from transmitting to the company his wide grasp and his sense of dramatic poetry. There is an outstanding Aguecheek in Aubrey Woods and a delightful Maria in Peggy Simpson. Trefor Jones, the opera singer, playing Feste for the first time, makes his performance a success.

SNOW

"Snow," at the New Torch Theatre, is one of those plays which lend themselves easily to derision, but have enough merit to deserve production. Four skiers and a guide are stranded in a mountain hut. The air is heavy with symbolism. "Snow" is not only the white powder that floats from the skies; it is also the drug of the underworld. The guide is spelt with a capital "G." But though the young authoress, Diana Maugham, allows her sense of drama to be overwhelmed occasionally by her desire to preach, she does know how to draw convincing people, and how to write dialogue which sounds natural to the ear; and these qualities prevent the evening from being wasted.
C.L.

THE UNINVITED GUEST

In "The Uninvited Guest" (St. James's Theatre), Mary Hayley Bell tilts at the harsh injustice which sometimes results from the application of the rules governing the incarceration of so-called mental deficients. She has written, with unquestionable sincerity, a play with a social purpose, lacking, however, in profundity. John Mills, as the normal person forced to spend twenty years in a home for mental deficients, gives a powerful performance. Joan Greenwood interprets with tenderness the girl with whom he falls in love, not knowing that she is his half-sister; and Cathleen Nesbitt, as their neurotic mother, brilliantly holds the difficult balance between drama and melodrama.
M.E.

Music

THE IMMORTAL HOUR

For the Coronation season Sadler's Wells has valiantly revived Rutland Boughton's "The Immortal Hour," an Englishman's musical interpretation of a Scotsman's poetic play based on Irish legend. The result is a genuine piece of art of the "Celtic Renaissance." All the four principals—Stanley Clarkson, Patricia Howard, John Hargreaves, and John Lanigan—get into the mood of their parts, and the orchestra under James Robertson usually kept the long-flowing melodic strands moving. If one is of the older generation and can yield once more to the hallucination of pastel-coloured melodies and washes of tone, to the somnambulism of drama which is ecstatically static, the evening becomes a time of relaxation and nostalgia. The younger generation must go and judge for themselves.

VIOLIN RECITAL

Perhaps Theo Olof, who gave a violin recital with Liza Fuchsova at the piano at Wigmore Hall last week, is temperamentally sympathetic to modern idioms; certainly his performance of Henk Badings's "Sonata No. 2" and Ravel's Sonata showed off all the cheeky brilliance of both works. His version of Bach's "Chaconne" tended to be portentous, and the Brahms Sonata opus 100 lacked tenderness and grace, especially in its Andante. The Badings Sonata was having its first performance in England; it is a brisk, amusing piece, never heavily engaging the listener's emotions.

BEETHOVEN CONCERT

Deputising at short notice for Josef Krips, Dr. Karl Rankl took over the Beethoven concert at the Albert Hall on Sunday afternoon, given in aid of various Jewish charities. With a clear, incisive approach to both the eighth and the fifth symphonies, Dr. Rankl obtained a sparkling and markedly rhythmic performance from the London Symphony Orchestra in the eighth, while the fifth was humanly broad and genial. Claudio Arrau's interpretation of the Emperor Concerto was truly great, finished, and perfect down to the last detail, and every detail clearly articulated and telling.
H.C.S.

Cinema

FILMS OF THE WEEK

Coronation Films

Apart from an exceptionally wide newsreel coverage by all the leading companies, including Gaumont British News, Pathé Gazette, Universal News, and Paramount News, there will be two outstanding Coronation films released over the week-end. These are **A Queen is Crowned,** a full-length picture in Technicolor produced by that master of this type of national documentary, Castleton Knight. The narrative, which has been written by Christopher Fry, is spoken by Sir Laurence Olivier. The other one is **Elizabeth is Queen,** also a full-length feature, which Associated British-Pathé have made in WarnerColor. Produced by Howard Thomas, the photography is by Terry Ashwood.

Jack McCall, Desperado (Astoria, Charing Cross Road) is a Western that begins with the familiar roughshoot in the bar-room, then switches to a brisk engagement in the American Civil War, and ends with a stirring tussle with the Sioux Indians. George Montgomery goes to extraordinary lengths to clear his sullied name. In dealing with the somewhat involved mess, he is aided by a lady of rather loose morals, Angela Stevens.

Johnny on the Run is a picture that is to be shown to youngsters everywhere. Acted mainly by children, it has been directed by the rising Jewish producer, Lewis Gilbert. Utilising the background of the International Children's Village in Scotland, Mr. Gilbert provides a neat story about the troubles of a young Polish refugee boy when he gets mixed up with a couple of small-time crooks, Sidney Tafler and Michael Balfour.

Young and Innocent (National Film Theatre, opposite Waterloo Station) is the fourth feature film in the seven-week season of the work of Alfred Hitchcock. The whole of this picture, made in 1937 with Nova Pilbeam and Derrick de Marney, will be shown together with exerpts from "Murder" and "The 39 Steps."
F.H.S.

Radio

Yehudi Menuhin, the violinist, will make his first television appearance in this country on Monday under the conductorship of Sir Adrian Boult (with the London Philharmonic Orchestra). He will play two concertos, one by Vivaldi in C major and the Concerto in E minor by Mendelssohn.

Dr. Richard Koebner, Professor of Modern History at the Hebrew University, Jerusalem, gave a recorded talk on "The Imperial Crown of This Realm" in the B.B.C. Third Programme on Monday and Wednesday evenings.

A new drama, "In Springtime," by Sidney Vauncez, is to be produced at the Q Theatre next Tuesday. The Jewish actor, Alfred Marron, has an important part in it.

Brancaster Productions' presentation of "Duet for Two Hands," by Mary Hayley Bell, is being booked for June 7 and June 8 by the J.P.A. The performance is at the Rudolf Steiner Hall, London, W., and the authoress is expected to be present on the opening night.

THEATRES

ADELPHI (Tem. 7611) 6.10, 8.45. Jimmy Edwards, Vera Lynn, Tony Hancock, **London Laughs** 2nd big laughter year.

AMBASSADORS (Tem. 1171) 7.30. Tu. 2.30. Sat. 5.15, 8. Richard Attenborough, Sheila Sim, **The Mousetrap**, by Agatha Christie

APOLLO (Gat. 2663) Mon. to Fri. 7.0, 9. Sat. 5.30, 8.30. Th. 2.30. Ronald Shiner, William Hartnell, **Seagulls Over Sorrento**

COLISEUM (Tem. 3161) Mon. to Fri. 7.30. Sats. 5.15 & 8.30. Mats. Wed. 2.30. Vivian Blaine in **Guys & Dolls**

DRURY LANE (Tem. 8108) Evenings 7.15. Mats. Wed., Sat., 2.30. Julie Wilson and Wilbur Evans in **South Pacific**.

EMPRESS HALL (Ful. 1212) Evgs. 7.45. Mat. Sat. 3. **Sonja Henie**, in person, and her fabulous Ice Revue. Agents and doors

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GARRICK (Tem. 4601) Terence de Marney in Peter Cheyney's **Dangerous Curves**. Evgs. 7.45. Sat. 5 & 8. Wed. 2.45.

GLOBE (Ger. 1592) Evgs. 7.30. Sats. 5.30 & 8.30. Ralph Richardson in **The White Carnation**, by R. C. Sherriff (Last perfs. June 6). Com. Thur., June 11: Diana Wynyard, Cecil Parker, **The Private Life of Helen**

HAYMARKET (Whi. 9832) Evgs. 7.30. Mats. Weds. & Sats. 2.30. Noel Coward, Margaret Leighton, Margaret Rawlings, in **The Apple Cart**, by Bernard Shaw

HER MAJESTY'S (Whi. 6606) M.-F. 7.30. Sat. 5.15 & 8.30. W. 2.30. Bobby & Sally-Ann Howes in New Musical, **Paint Your Wagon**

HIPPODROME (Ger. 3272) Evgs. 8.0. Weds. 2.40. Sats. 6.0 & 8.40. Cyril Ritchard, Diana Churchill in New Revue, **High Spirits**, with Ian Carmichael

IRVING (Whi. 8657) Nightly at 10.30 (Sun. 9.30). **Coronation Cabaret.** Mems. 5/- yearly.

LYRIC, H'smith (Riv. 4437). 7.30. Thurs. Sats. 2.30. John Gielgud, Eileen Herlie, Pamela Brown, Paul Scofield, in **Venice Preserv'd.** (Till July 11.)

LYRIC (Ger. 3686). 7.30. Wd. 2.30. 5, 6 & 8.45. Hugh Sinclair, Diane Hart, David Tomlinson in **The Little Hut.** (3rd year)

PALACE (Ger. 6843) 7.30. W. & S. 2.30. Tom Arnold pres. Anna Neagle in new musical play, **The Glorious Days.** All seats bkble.

PALLADIUM (Ger. 7373) Mon. next, 6.15 & 8.45. Wed. 2.40. America's Exciting New Voice, **Al Martino, Betty & Jean Kean, etc.**

PHOENIX (Tem. 8611) Evenings 7.30. Wed. Sat. 2.30. Alfred Lunt, Lynn Fontanne in **Quadrille**, by Noel Coward. (Last weeks.)

PICCADILLY (Ger. 4506) 7.45. S. 5.0 & 8.40. W. 2.30. Cicely Courtneidge in **Over The Moon.** "First-rate success."—Star. 5/-–14/-

PRINCE OF WALES (Whi. 8681). 6.15 & 8.50. Norman Wisdom Back Again in Folies Bergere Revue, **Paris to Piccadilly**

PRINCES (Tem. 6596) 7.30. W. 2.30. Sat. 6 & 8.45. Fred Emney, Eve Lister, Shani Wallis, Leo Franklyn, Dickie Henderson, new musical, **Happy As a King**

ROYAL COURT, Sloane Square (Sloane 1745) Evenings 8. Mats. Thurs. 2.30. Sats. 5. Laurier Lister's **Airs on a Shoestring.**

ST. MARTIN'S (Tem. 1443) 7.45. Tu. 2.30. Sat. 5.30, 8.30. **Two Bouquets.** Musical Play by Eleanor and Herbert Farjeon

SAVOY (Tem. 8888) 7.30. W. & S. 2.30. Clive Brook, Isabel Jeans, Nora Swinburne, Athene Seyler, Jean Cadell, in **A Woman of No Importance**, by O. Wilde

STRAND 7.30. Sat. 5.30, 8.30. Thur. 2.30. Phyllis Calvert, Nigel Patrick, **Escapade.** By Roger MacDougall. (Tem. 2660)

VAUDEVILLE (Tem. 4871) 7.30. S. 5.15, 8.15. Th. 2.45. Yolande Donlan, Naunton Wayne, **Red-Headed Blonde.** Jerry Desmonde: "I laughed incessantly."—S. Pic.

WHITEHALL (Whi. 6692) 3rd yr. Evs. 7.30. Th. 2.30. Sat. 5.15, 8. John Slater, Brian Rix, **Reluctant Heroes.** "Mirthquake."—S. Pic.

WINTER GDN. (Hol. 8881) Evgs. 8. Mat. Sat. 2.30. Till June 20, Sacha Guitry & his co. in play, Ecoutez Bien, Messieurs.

OPERA AND BALLET

COVENT GARDEN OPERA Theatre closed June 5. June 6 and 10 at 7, **Aida** (in Italian). June 8 at 7.30, Gala perf. **Gloriana.** June 11 at 7, **Gloriana.** (Tem. 7961)

COVENT GARDEN Sadler's Wells Ballet. June 9, at 7.30, **The Shadow, Lac des Cygnes** (Act 2), **Homage to the Queen.**

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By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Artists from all branches of the entertainment world took part in "Stars at Midnight," presented at the Palladium last week in aid of the Actors' Orphanage and the Charitable Trust of the Jewish National Fund.

This, the first joint venture of the two institutions, resulted in about £19,000 being raised. Among the artists taking part—all gave their services free—were Leo Genn, Woolf Phillips, Lauren Bacall, and Vic Oliver.

The joint Presidents of the show were the Marchioness of Reading and Mr. Noël Coward. The joint Chairmen of the Executive Committee were Messrs. S. J. Birn and B. M. Fournier. Mr. Coward, the President of the Actors' Orphanage, said they would particularly welcome as visitors to their institutions any supporters of the Jewish National Fund. The show was produced by Mr. Robert Nesbitt.

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BIKKUR CHOLIM

Aid Society's Effort

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

Two hundred and fifty pounds was raised by the North-West London Aid Committee for the Chevrat Bikkur Cholim at a performance of "Wish Me Mazeltov," played (in Yiddish) by the Associated Jewish Theatrical Company, at the Rudolf Steiner Hall, Baker Street, W., last week.

During the interval Mr. F. Ashe Lincoln, Q.C., who was introduced by Mr. J. B. Lee, Chairman of the Aid Committee, made an appeal for increased membership of the Bikkur Cholim, which has an accumulated deficit of over £1,500.

The principal object of the Bikkur Cholim is to provide nurses and home-helps for Jewish sick and needy people.

EVENING OF DANISH LITERATURE

By a Correspondent

An "Evening of Danish Literature" was presented at the Broadhurst Hall, London, N.W., last week.

Mrs. Lilly Freud-Marle's contributed prose and poetry selections by Dens Peter Jacobsen, and H. C. Anderson and Mr. Arnold Marle gave a portrayal of all the characters in the conjurer's scene of "Osakrak, the Eskimo," by Peter Freuchen.

JEWISH INSTITUTE CONCERT

The final Jewish Institute and Reading Room concert of the season will take place on Sunday at 3.30 p.m. at Adler House, Adler Street, E.1.

The artists will be Paul Hamburger (piano), Eleanor Warren (cello), Martin Lawrence (bass), Joanna Metzger (mezzo-soprano), and Paul Lichtenstern (accompanist).

BROADCASTS FROM ISRAEL

The Story of David Alroy

The following is the programme of Kol Zion Lagola broadcasts in English from Israel next week:

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Sunday, June 7: 9.15 p.m. Newsreel; 9.30 p.m. Personal Column, by Dr. Walter Eytan; 9.35 p.m. A Visit to the Meteorological Station at Lydda.

Monday, June 8: 9.15 p.m. Newsreel and Agricultural Survey; 9.30 p.m. "The Economic Front," a weekly feature presented by Avner Hovne; 9.45 p.m. Learn a Song: "Holem Tzadi."

Tuesday, June 9: 9.15 p.m. News; 9.30 p.m. Avraham Wilkomirsky (tenor); 9.45 p.m. "The Week's News," summarised by Mr. Jack Alexander.

Wednesday, June 10: 9.15 p.m. Newsreel; 9.30 p.m. "On Behalf of Israel," presented by Anita Davis; 9.45 p.m. Folk Music, arranged by Mr. Moshe Lustig.

Thursday, June 11: 9.15 p.m. Newsreel; 9.30 p.m. Names in the News; 9.35 p.m. "From East to West," musical greetings.

Friday, June 12: 9.15 p.m. Shabbat Korach. Readings and Legends. News; 9.30 p.m. Famous Jewish Stories, presented by Misha Louvish (10): David Alroy; 9.45 p.m. An anthology of Sabbath Songs (Zemirot), edited by Ephraim de-Zahav.

Saturday, June 13: Shavua Tov. News. Programme Features. A Selection of Light Music; 9.30 p.m. The Week in the Knesset; 9.45 p.m. M'lava Malka, Shalom Katz.

All comments on the quality of the reception as well as programme suggestions should be addressed to Mr. N. Englesberg, 77, Gt. Russell Street, London, W.C.1.

TRADE ITEM

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MEMBERS of the East London Orphan Aid Society visited the Jewish Orphanage, West Norwood, recently and provided a tea for the children.

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Meet the Russians. By VICKY. *Max Reinhardt.* 10s. 6d.

Reviewed by F. G. STONE

Vicky's line is not naturally humorous. It is expressive more in the manner of a later Daumier. Its complete freedom and looseness never falls back on the idiom of those artists who seem to say: "If I use enough outlines one of them is sure to be right." He uses his many lines in the manner of an arabesque, and so one gets a pleasure in his decorative craftsmanship in addition to that provided by the expression of his subject-matter.

Moscow and Georgia provide the locale of most of his drawings, while the man, woman, and child in the street provide most of the subject-matter. In his introduction Vicky says he was allowed complete freedom to go where he liked without being followed. Like others he was struck by the people's "vitality, self-confidence, national pride, vast energy, and an almost childlike faith in the future as mapped by the new five-year plan." With it, a hunger for learning and an absence of doubt that was almost positive. Within its modest limits "Meet the Russians" helps to bring us nearer to an understanding of the Russian people.

Vicky's real name is Victor Weiss. He was born in Berlin in 1913 and came to England as a refugee from Nazism in 1935. So quickly did he adapt himself to the English political scene that he was in 1941 appointed cartoonist of the NEWS CHRONICLE, whose columns he still enriches with a wit that is penetrating without being malicious. After a visit to Israel in 1951 he did a number of cartoons of Israeli life for THE JEWISH CHRONICLE and the NEWS CHRONICLE.

BIBLICAL CRITICISM

Studies in Deuteronomy. By GERHARD VON RAD. Translated by DAVID STALKER. *SCM Press.* Studies in Biblical Theology No. 9. 7s.

Reviewed by RAPHAEL LOEWE

In these seven essays Deuteronomy is regarded not as a law code but as the homiletical commendation of a number of legal prescriptions by the Levites. The occasion of this book is considered to be the political situation after the retreat of Sennacherib in 701 B.C.E.; a mercenary army being no longer feasible, the tribal levy was revived and with it (inevitably) patriarchal traditions and institutions. This reorganisation was carried through by the landed gentry (*Am ha'aretz*), whose party line was national independence and internal rehabilitation; their spokesmen were the Levites (closely connected with the Ark, essentially the palladium of sacred war)—a body no longer purely cultic, but a party whose protestantism was based on antiquarian scholarship. The author regards the purpose of Deuteronomy as the assertion, in terms not of eschatological but immediate salvation, of God's choice of Israel as His people. The last chapter considers the Deuteronomic theology of history. Professor von Rad's reconstruction, which is put forward with due circumspection, is always suggestive and generally plausible—"convincing" is a term which, the author would be the first to agree, cannot usefully be applied in a field where so much must remain subjective.

ROAD SAFETY

All religious people must be appalled by the slaughter on the roads and should be resolved to help to the utmost in the safeguarding of human life. Children and old folk need our special care, and two recent publications will be welcomed by all who feel that the national conscience needs arousing on this social problem. **The Child on the Road** (4s.) has been published for the Children's Safety Crusade Trust by the Economic Research Council, 18, South Street, W.1. It gives the findings of an influential study group in the form of a report presented to the National Federation of Women's Institutes. **The Safety of Old People on the Roads** (1s.) is the report of a national conference convened by the Pedestrians' Association for Road Safety, 44, Fleet Street, E.C.4. The conference was held under the chairmanship of the Association's President, Dr. A. L. Goodhart, K.B.E., Q.C., Master of University College, Oxford.

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THE RECRUITMENT OF MINISTERS

Special Committee's Report

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

It will be recalled that at the recent Council meeting of Jews' College the "Report on recruitment of candidates for the Anglo-Jewish Ministry" was presented. As the Special Committee presenting the Report had been appointed in conjunction with the Council of the United Synagogue, the Report has yet to be considered by that Council, who are meeting next Monday night.

The Report is divided into four parts. Part I recalls the Resolution of the Council of the United Synagogue on November 26, 1951, asking Jews' College Council to set up a Special Committee (preferably jointly with the Council of the United Synagogue). The Council of Jews' College at its meeting on February 19, 1952, acceded to the United Synagogue's request and the delegates appointed for Jews' College were Mr. Alan A. Mocatta, Dr. A. Cohen, and Dr. Oskar Rabinowicz, those for the United Synagogue being Messrs. M. Hyams, F. M. Landau, and H. A. Simons, with Mr. M. Stephany as Secretary.

Memoranda were considered from witnesses, who were also interviewed in person, and, with the co-operation of the I.U.J.F., a questionnaire was distributed among 300 male students at British universities, 65 sending replies.

More Students Needed

In Part II the problem is examined; the Special Committee were assisted by the considered opinion of the Secretary of the United Synagogue and statistical material made available by him. The Committee reached the conclusion that an average annual intake into the College of six students should meet requirements for training as Minister/Preachers. It is stated that "The average intake into the College of students for training as Minister/Preachers, both before and during the post-war period, has fallen short of the estimated figure of the present and future requirements by two, or one-third of estimated needs."

Part III deals with the reasons for the shortage of Ministers, which are summed up under the headings of: (1) the religious factor; (2) The economic factor; (3) The status of the ministry; and (4) Qualifications for appointments.

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Recommendations are presented in Part IV. Among them,

"The Committee suggests that the synagogal organisations in London and in the larger provincial centres and the communities overseas should make it their practice to seek out and adopt young people suitable for training for the ministry and should make themselves responsible for the maintenance of those young men during their course of training at the College."

To encourage students from outside London the Committee endorses a Jews' College recommendation for the provision of residential accommodation. They also advocate the admission of some young people from the Continent.

On the question of qualifications, the Committee believe that the Chief Rabbi's certificate should include reference to the Jewish and secular education of the recipient, with the standard of Minister's Diploma of Jews' College. They recommend that congregations should not consider as a candidate anyone who does not possess the Chief Rabbi's certificate. Further, the Committee feels that, after gaining the Minister's Diploma, students of the requisite ability should be given time and encouragement to work for the Rabbinical Diploma.

Finally, they recommend Jews' College to consider the possibility of arranging courses of training, for which an appropriate certificate would be granted, for the comprehensive type of work of the minister among smaller communities.

Besides the members of the Committee listed above, the signatories to the Report include the Haham and Dr. Altmann, the Communal Rabbi of Manchester.

YOUTH ASSOCIATION SUMMER SCHOOL

Study Groups on Judaism

The seventh annual summer school of the Youth Association of Synagogues in Great Britain was held recently, at the Beatrice Webb House, Dorking, Surrey. One hundred and eight young people, between the ages of 15 and 25, representing synagogue groups all over the country, took part.

The lecturers were Rabbis C. Berg, C. E. Cassell, L. G. Graf, Dr. I. Maybaum, Dr. H. F. Reinhart, and Dr. W. van der Zyl, and the Revs. A. Miller, E. K. Sawady, and A. Ungar. Visitors included Mr. Henry Shaw (Religious Director, Association for Jewish Youth), Mr. Charles Spencer (Secretary, Anglo-Jewish Association), and Mr. John Rayner (Liaison Officer, Youth Section of the World Union for Progressive Judaism).

Study groups formed an important part of the school. The syllabus included "Essence of Judaism" (eternal Judaism and historic development, prophetism, revelation, mankind, what is man? moral conscience—sin—atonement); "Our World" (the Jewish home, the Jewish youth group, the Jewish community, the Jewish mission); "The Ways to God" (graven images), the philosopher's path, church and mosque, and the Lord our God.

Religious services were held daily and were conducted mainly by the members of the Y.A.S.G.B.

Social activities included an Oneg Shabbat and a dance.

At the annual meeting the following officers for the year 1953-1954 were elected: Messrs. Ernest D. Bello, President; Raymond Goldman, Vice-President; Jack Lynes, Chairman; Miss Elizabeth Israel (London), Messrs. Henry Guterman (North), and Michael Bogod (South), Vice-Chairmen; Gerald Samuels, Treasurer; and Miss Pauline Caras, Hon. Secretary.

The movement's thanks were expressed to Mr. Raymond Goldman, who had been Chairman for the past three years.

Reference was made to the continued support given by the senior body, the Association of Synagogues in Great Britain. Attention was also drawn to the Y.A.S.G.B.'s affiliation to the Association for Jewish Youth, with which liaison was further encouraged.

It was stated that new groups were being formed in the provinces, as well as in London. The existing groups had shown particular progress in religious activity.

Members of the seventh annual summer school of the Youth Association of Synagogues in Great Britain

CLUB'S TENTH ANNIVERSARY

Golders Green Celebration

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

The Golders Green Jewish Youth Club on Sunday celebrated its tenth anniversary with a display held at the Joseph Freedman Hall of the Golders Green Synagogue, Dunstan Road, N.W.11.

Ald. Bernard Waley-Cohen, who has succeeded his father, the late Sir Robert Waley Cohen, as President, spoke of the wonderful spirit which animated the club. There was a tendency, he said, for people to ask: "What can I get out of it?" but their members realised that they could not achieve anything without contributing something valuable in return.

Tributes to the work of the club were also paid by the Rev. I. Livingstone, minister of the synagogue, and Mr. B. L. Beckman, Warden.

Awards to members were distributed by the Hon. Mrs. Bernard Waley-Cohen; the Harry Wiseman Challenge Cup, for the outstanding club member, was awarded to Garry Fine.

Mr. Conrad J. Morris, the Secretary, made an appeal for more club helpers.

The display included performances by the dramatics, stage variety, and Hebrew groups, and the club band.

FRIENDSHIP CLUB AT ST. JOHN'S WOOD

A friendship club for elderly residents in the St. John's Wood, Maida Vale, and Kilburn districts was declared open last week at 33, Abbey Road, N.W.8, the premises of the St. John's Wood Synagogue. The club will meet again on June 9 at 2.30 p.m. and thereafter weekly on Tuesdays.

ARAB BANK'S APPEAL

Judgment Reserved

Judgment was reserved recently by the Court of Appeal on the appeal by Arab Bank, Ltd., of Amman, Jordan, against Mr. Justice Parker's judgment dismissing its £582,931 claim against Barclays Bank (Dominion, Colonial, and Overseas), of Lombard Street, London, E.C.

The sum claimed, the balance of the Arab Bank's current account at Barclays' branch in Jerusalem when the British mandate in Palestine ended in May, 1948, was paid by Barclays Bank to the Israeli Custodian of Absentee Property.

UNIVERSITY NEWS

The University of London Jewish Union Society held its first outing of the year last week when 35 students rambled from Epping. A social evening was also held last week at Woburn House.

EDUCATIONAL NEWS

Of 35 children of the Jewish Orphanage, West Norwood, who were eligible to sit for the recent examinations, six boys and three girls secured places in secondary grammar schools; central school places were won by three boys and three girls; and a marginal central school place was awarded to one girl.

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Investments

EFFECT OF FESTIVITIES

As was only to be expected the City finally had to succumb to the Coronation celebrations. Throughout the previous week the London Stock Exchange, Lombard Street, and the financial centres as a whole held out well against the growing air of festivity. This week, with short business sessions on Monday and holiday on Tuesday few will deny the capital its gala air or finance and commerce its chance to celebrate.

Throughout, however, stock markets have maintained a sense of proportion and reflected dividend and profit statements with considerable accuracy. With the return of a more normal tenor of business markets as a whole could be interesting.

Many continue to insist that before long a halt will be called to the advance in gilt-edged and fixed-interest stocks and that investors will tend towards good class equities once again. So far there has been little sign of this developing and it has to be admitted that the gap in yields, between the Funds and good class industrials, has widened further in recent weeks.

Profits of **Telephone Rentals Limited** totalled £239,264 after tax of £416,357 last year. This compared with £216,507 a year ago when only £269,794 was needed for taxation. The final dividend of 6 per cent is paid on a capital increased by the issue of 880,000 ordinary shares at 6s. a share in December last. It maintains the total for the year at 10 per cent.

British Van Heusen Company, formerly Harding, Tilton and Hartley, announces net profits for the year to December 31 of £73,390 against £73,964. It is after tax of £74,683 against £96,287, however, as well as the addition of £20,000 transferred from stock contingencies for losses on forward contracts. Dividend again totals 20 per cent.

Clothing Manufacturers' Good News

There is good news from **Ellis and Goldstein,** the clothing manufacturers. Turnover for the first six months of the current year, the Chairman says, shows an increase of some 25 per cent over the previous record. Autumn orders are on a scale to indicate that production will be fully engaged for the next six months. The Board have "every hope" of being able to recommend an increased dividend next year.

Trading profit of **A. Goldberg and Sons,** the warehousemen, rose from £134,175 to £207,210 last year, enabling dividend to be raised from 35 per cent to 40 per cent, despite a higher capital ranking for payment. The current balance-sheet shows a rise in assets from £378,473 to £470,031.

CITY EDITOR

AIDING BACKWARD CHILDREN

London Casino Concert

By a Jewish Chronicle Reporter

A piano, beds, bedding, furniture, cutlery, linen, and money were among gifts donated to the Home for Backward Children, Crowthorne, Berks, following an appeal by Mr. Anthony Greenwood, M.P., at an all-star Coronation concert, held by the Jewish Association to Aid Handicapped Children, at the London Casino on Sunday.

Mr. Greenwood said that the Association was particularly important, because as the child became capable of deriving benefit from the education he received in a home the parents wanted him to have facilities for religious instruction and to observe the dietary laws.

HASHOMER HATZAIR CAMP

Over sixty members of the older age groups of Hashomer Hatzair recently attended the Shavuot camp and convention of the movement near Oakham, Rutlandshire. A new council and executive committees were elected. There were discussions on a preparation for aliya and kibbutz life. Rambles and sports were organised.

J.P.A. NEWS

Kingston and Surbiton

A reception was organised recently by the Kingston and Surbiton J.P.A. Committee to enable the local community to meet Mr. Barnett Janner, M.P., the President of the Zionist Federation. Mr. M. Estrin presided.

Mr. Janner said that "had we not possessed a national home, the German Reparations Agreement would never have been signed!"

An appeal was conducted by Mr. B. Phillips, and £900 was raised.

Upton Park

Mr. A. J. Richliger, Treasurer of the Zionist Federation of Great Britain and Ireland, was the main speaker at a reception held recently by the Upton Park J.P.A. Committee, at which Mr. and Mrs. O. Kosky were the hosts. Mr. J. Cohen, Chairman of the Committee, presided.

The appeal was conducted by Mr. Kosky and Mr. Cohen and the target figure for 1953 of £1,000 was exceeded.

Bethnal Green

At a meeting of the Bethnal Green J.P.A. Committee held recently, tribute was paid to Mr. S. Garson, who was to take up J.P.A. work in Leeds, by Mr. A. Berniger, Chairman, Mr. M. Cohen, Vice-Chairman, and Mrs. E. Isaacs, Chairman of the Bethnal Green Great Synagogue Ladies' Guild.

LADIES' GUILDS

The annual meeting of the Harrow Synagogue Ladies' Guild was held recently at the Synagogue Hall, 3, Vaughan Road, Harrow. The Chairman, Mrs. B. Conrich, reported that over £450 had been handed over to the synagogue funds for the purchase of an Ark and Almemar. The children of the Hebrew classes were each presented with a copy of the Passover Hagada inscribed to commemorate the Coronation. The following were elected: Mesdames B. Conrich, Chairman; A. Fisher, Vice-Chairman; C. Blumenfeld, Treasurer; D. Singer, Hon. Secretary; and a committee.

Leytonstone and Wanstead Synagogue Ladies' Guild arranged a showing of the Youth Aliyah film "Tomorrow is a Wonderful Day" at the Synagogue Hall last week. Mrs. S. Zilesnick, Chairman of the Guild, introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. R. Azouz, Chairman of the Holland Park Synagogue Ladies' Guild. Mr. Otto Zarek, Press Officer of the British Youth Aliyah Committee, also spoke.

The Shadwell and St. George's Ladies' Guild recently provided a tea for the patients at the Highbury Home for the Aged.

The Wimbledon and District Synagogue Ladies' Guild held its first anniversary dinner recently, when about £80 was raised for the synagogue funds.

Company Meetings

MORRISONS ASSOCIATED COMPANIES

RECORD TURNOVER AND PROFITS

MR. J. MORRISON'S REVIEW

The fifth ordinary general meeting of Morrisons Associated Companies, Ltd., was held on Friday, May 29, in London, Mr. J. Morrison, J.P. (Chairman), presiding.

The following are extracts from his circulated speech:

I am pleased once again to report another successful year in which both turnover and profits have reached a new high level.

The profit of the group for the year was £509,730, and after charging directors' emoluments, depreciation, costs of refitting premises, etc., there is a net balance of £357,700, which represents an increase in profits of £28,273 against the preceding year.

The burden of taxation this year has increased substantially, partly through the withdrawal of the initial allowance on plant and machinery, and partly because of the introduction of the excess profits levy. The total taxation takes £260,253, leaving a balance of profits of £97,546, from which the Preference dividend for the year 1952 has already been paid.

In view of the acquisition on November 28, 1952, by Morrisons Holdings, Ltd., of the whole of the Ordinary share capital in your company, the profits up to that date, after provision for taxation, have been transferred (along with revenue reserves brought forward) to capital reserve, and it is proposed that the balance of profits available, amounting to £7,972, should be carried forward.

During the year the policy of expansion out of our own resources has been continued and a further 22 shops were opened for trading. These shops have added substantially to the year's trading results and will help to strengthen and consolidate the position in future years.

The high quality of our merchandise is being fully maintained and we have been able to extend our buying programme to cover our ever-increasing needs. We have also widened the range of our merchandise to give an even better service to our customers.

I should like to express our appreciation to those manufacturers who have worked so closely with us. It is only through this close and personal co-operation that we have been able to maintain and improve the quality and value of the merchandise we sell in our shops.

I have always exercised a degree of caution when speaking of future prospects; the present year has presented many difficulties which have affected the retail trade throughout the country. However, although comparative sales show a decline, I am glad to be able to say that so far our total turnover to date exceeds that of the same period in 1952.

As usual, in closing, I would like to express my thanks to our staffs. Throughout the year they have displayed a loyalty and interest deserving of the highest praise, and your directors are most happy to acknowledge their invaluable contribution to the successful results achieved in 1952.

The report was adopted, and the remuneration of the auditors, Messrs. Smallfield Fitzhugh Tillett and Co., was fixed.

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SATISFACTORY RESULTS

The thirtieth annual general meeting of Power Securities Corporation, Ltd., will be held on June 24 in London.

The following is an extract from the statement of the Chairman and Managing Director, Sir Andrew M. MacFadzean, circulated with the report and accounts for the year 1952:

The accounts show satisfactory results. Although the gross profit for the year at £458,188, as shown in the consolidated profit and loss account, is £97,003 less than in the previous year, you will recall that in 1951 the gross profit was enlarged by final adjustments in respect of certain completed contracts. This is inevitable in an engineering business such as ours where one has long-dated contracts and the results cannot always be ascertained until the works are nearing the completion stage. Against this, the provisions required for depreciation and taxation are £101,356 less than those in 1951, while interest on loans, at £11,928, is higher by £10,294.

The result is that the consolidated net profit for the year to December 31 last is £136,492, as compared with £140,485 in the previous year. £68,000 has been transferred to reserves, £49,175 is required for payment of the Preference dividend and the proposed dividend of 7 per cent on the Ordinary shares, and £5,650 has been provided for the usual pension fund instalment.

ASSETS SUBSTANTIALLY HIGHER

In the consolidated balance-sheet current assets at £6,226,800 show a substantial increase of £2,141,892 over the previous year, due to the larger volume of construction work on hand, chiefly on civil engineering work overseas and transmission line contracts in this country. This increased volume of work in hand is also, of course, reflected in the figure of £4,564,653 in respect of current liabilities on the other side of the balance-sheet.

We have this year incorporated the contingencies reserve of £10,000 in the contracts reserve, and you will observe that the total of our revenue reserves, at £1,010,836, for the first time exceeds the £1,000,000 mark.

BALFOUR BEATTY & CO. FULLY OCCUPIED

The main source of income of this corporation is derived from the engineering and construction side of the organisation through Balfour Beatty and Co., Ltd. I am pleased to report that Balfour Beatty continued to be fully occupied during the year in handling a large volume of civil and electrical engineering work in this country and overseas. The results of the year under review, together with the amount of work in hand at the moment, compare favourably with anything we have achieved in the past.

The two principal electrical engineering contracts on hand in the United Kingdom are those for the British Electricity Authority for construction of the Staythorpe and Carmarthen Bay power stations. Both these contracts continue to show good progress. Staythorpe power station has now three generating sets on commercial load and a fourth set is due to be in commission in the autumn of this year. At Carmarthen Bay the first set is expected to go into commission this summer, followed by a second set later in the year. In addition to these two large power stations, Balfour Beatty is constructing for the British Electricity Authority and for the North of Scotland Hydro Electric Board, upwards of 2,000 miles of high- and low-tension transmission lines. These include about 300 miles of 275 kV. grid lines and numerous 132 kV., 33 kV. and lower voltage lines.

The major civil engineering contract upon which we are engaged in this country, namely, the Woodhead New Tunnel for the British Railways Executive, is now nearing completion. This tunnel, three miles in length under the Pennine Range on the main Sheffield-Manchester railway line, is the largest tunnelling work carried out on the British Railway system during the last 100 years, and will rank as one of the most important civil engineering undertakings completed in this country since the war. Our civil engineering side has also been engaged during the year on completion of the Richmond main drainage scheme, and on the construction of other smaller works in this country.

I feel sure that you will welcome the modest increase in the dividend recommended on this occasion. This, in effect, is a return to the rate paid pre-war and, encouraged by the results achieved and by the nature and volume of our work in hand, the directors feel fully justified in recommending this increase.

WARING & GILLOW LIMITED

CHANGED TRADING CONDITIONS

The annual general meeting of Waring and Gillow, Limited, was held yesterday in London, Mr. J. C. Sanderson, the Chairman, presiding.

The following is an extract from his circulated statement:

Mr. Wilfrid Taylor retired at the end of our financial year after 50 years with the company and 21 years as a director. We shall all of us long remember so familiar and so alert a figure. He was for many years in charge of the contract department, including the war and post-war years. His colleagues and all the staff wish him happy years of well-earned leisure.

It was our intention to add to the number of directors when Mr. Taylor retired. Accordingly we issued an invitation last February to Mr. S. G. Warburg, the Chairman of S. G. Warburg and Co., Limited, who have a substantial interest in our company, and to Sir George Allen to join our board, which both accepted. They offer themselves for re-election at the annual general meeting.

The trading profit for the year was £178,464. There has been a steady decline since our peak year, January 31, 1950—when the trading profit was £270,587. We then had a sellers' market, and cash sales were high. Expensive furniture, etc., was easily sold, while the contract department was more than fully employed on ship decoration and other large contract work.

EFFECT OF REDUCED PURCHASING POWER

The changeover to less expensive goods was more marked last year. This was helped forward by the withdrawal of the Utility scheme for furniture and fabrics and by the new method of calculating purchase tax following on the introduction of the "D" scheme. For example, in the immediately preceding years we readily sold three-piece upholstery suites at about £100, but now the main demand is for suites selling at from £100 to £120; and the same trend applies throughout our business. We are constantly in search of sound and attractive merchandise to suit the reduced purchasing power of our customers. Our hire-purchase terms are becoming more popular and are proving a real service to those who want to furnish out of income.

The net profit of the group was £70,616, against £75,408 for the previous year. The corresponding figures for the parent company were £66,287 and £73,920.

The Ordinary stock of the company was increased during the year by £158,201—from £180,442 to £338,643—by the conversion into Ordinary stock of £316,403 of the 4½ per cent Redeemable Unsecured Notes. The share premium account has been increased by £158,202.

Current liabilities are down by £25,168. Leasehold and freehold properties were increased during the year by £54,284. We purchased the freehold of a property in Berwick Street, London, which formerly we held on lease. Trading stocks are down by £270,600; trade debtors are up by £74,089; while cash, including tax certificates, has risen to £269,804, or by £149,302.

DIVIDEND MAINTAINED

Your directors recommend a dividend on the Ordinary stock of 1s. 9d. per 12s. unit. It is the same rate as last year. The new Ordinary stock ranks for dividend for six months only. After paying the Preference and Ordinary dividends the parent company's surplus would have been £366,734, an increase in the year of £28,929. We propose that of this surplus £100,000 be transferred to general reserve and £100,000 to stock reserve. Stocks were taken on the usual conservative basis but your directors think that there should be a special reserve to meet any unforeseen price reductions that may take place in the future. The surplus carried forward is £106,734.

Our new year has started quietly on the retail and on the manufacturing sides of our business. We must hope for better trading in order to equal or improve on the year under review.

The report was adopted.

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Newcastle Branch. Monday, June 8. Coronation Dance, Old Assembly Rooms, Newcastle upon Tyne.

Willesden Branch. Tuesday, June 9. Coronation Dance, Synagogue Hall, Heathfield Park, N.W.2. 8.15 p.m.

Stamford Hill Branch. Thursday, June 11. A practical Display of Cartooning by Ralph Sallon, Esq., "Daily Mirror" Cartoonist. 8-10.30 p.m. Marcus Samuel Hall, Egerton Road, N.16.

The Association of Jewish Ex-Service Men & Women has branches in most areas. Details from 28, Euston Square, N.W.1.

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Sun., June 7. Stadium: Athletics, tennis, cricket. Evening (at club): Dance to George Fierstone (in person) & his Orchestra. 7.30-11 p.m. Members 3/-. Visitors 6/-.

Mon., June 8. Jewish Affairs: Opening of Jewish Parliament (1st of weekly sessions).

Wed., June 10. Music: Schubert. Photography: Royal Photographic Society. Art: Life-classes.

Thurs., June 11. Literary: Debate.

St. John's Wood J.Y.C.

33/5 ABBEY RD., N.W.8

Sun., June 7. 1 p.m. Meet club, cricket. 8-11 p.m. Flannel Dance. Freddy Magee and his music. A star-billed Marlborough Cabaret. Surprises. Members and guests.

Mon., June 8. 8 p.m. T.T. and TV night.

Tues., June 9. 7 p.m. Tennis, Ridgeway Club, N.W.11.

Wed., June 10. 8.30 p.m. "Small Town, U.S.A." Film lecture by Miss Janet O'Neill, of the U.S.A. Embassy.

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

A big night at the **Old Boys' Club** (241, Mile End Rd., E.1). Dancing to Ron Findon & his Band. Roving Mike introduces celebrities in the club. Lady visitors welcome. 8 p.m. Tickets 2/6.

Hasmonean Old Pupils' Association invites all old pupils to Grand Social (8 p.m.) and tennis match (6.30 p.m.) at Downhurst Girls' School. Inquiries, SPE. 7451.

J.A.C. "Dance by Candlelight." New hall extension. Candlelight Bar. 8 p.m. 1, Broadhurst Gdns., N.W.6. (MAI. 9457.)

Jewish Ex-Services Club, Adler St., E.1, presents "June Jingles" to the music of Sid Conway & his Band. Comm. 7.30 p.m. Members Guests 3/-.

Maccabi Association London, 73, Compayne Gdns., N.W.6. Dance to George Fierstone (in person) & his Orchestra. 7.30-11 p.m. Members 3/-. Visitors 6/-.

Nomads Club presents its Coronation Month Dance. Dancing to the music of The Kays. At 6, Queen's Sq., Southampton Row, W.C. 7.30 p.m. Members 2/6. Visitors 4/-.

MONDAY, JUNE 8

Bayswater Jewish Centre, Westbourne Park Crescent, Harrow Road, W.2 (nr. Royal Oak stn.). "Live Magazine." Prepared and presented by the committee. 8 p.m.

The Harmony Club, Egerton Rd., invites you to a Grand Social, Dancing & Table Tennis. Members Guests 2/-. 8 p.m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 9

The Hadassah Club, Poet's Rd., N.5, presents a session of the ever-popular "Twenty Questions." 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10

Everyone comes to the weekly Social, **Elma,** Colvestone Crescent School, Dalston Junction. 8 p.m.

J.A.C. Dance by Candlelight. Curtis Shelley & sensational French clavioline. 8 p.m. 1, Broadhurst Gdns., N.W.6. (MAI. 9457.)

The Old Boys' Club, 241/3, Mile End Rd., E.1 (STE. 2722). 49th Annual General Meeting & Elections. 8 p.m. prompt. (Club closed to visitors.)

University of London J.U.S. Flannel Dance at U.L.U. Hut. 7.30 p.m.

THURSDAY, JUNE 11

Bachelors Incorporated of Central Y.I. present a grand free-for-all social at Netley St. School, Hampstead Rd., N.W.1. 8-10.30.

Nomads Club presents "The Greatest Show on Earth"—a talk by Miss P. Blackburn, of Bertram Mills's Circus. At "The Cranbourne," 61, Newport St., W.C.2. 7.45 p.m. Visitors welcome.

S.L.G., Holland Park, W.11. A Coronation Dance in aid of Jewish Women's Week and Synagogue Funds, at the Porchester Hall, Bayswater, W.2. Dancing to Harry Landau and his Mayfair Band, from 7.45 to 11.45 p.m. Licensed bar. Members of Youth Clubs, admission 5/-.

DANCE HALLS, Etc.

SUNDAY, JUNE 7

A. & J. present at the Film Studio's Sunday Club, 37/39, Oxford St., W.1: dancing to the Bernie Baron Band, featuring Red Martin. Fully lic. 7.30-11.30. Over-20s. Adm. 5/6.

A Blue Star Club Grand End-of-the-Season Dance. Old friends and new are invited to have a wonderful time at our last dance of the season, prior to gold reopening next Sept. With Von Straten's Orchestra and lovely Renee Lester. At Chez Auguste, 47, Frith St., W.1. 6/6. Fully lic. lounge. 7.30 p.m.

A Ciro's Club Dance. Orange St., Lric. Sq. Continue your Coronation celebrations at the most popular club, presenting the most popular bands and the most popular cabaret stars. For this Sunday, at your special request, dancing to the famous Joe Saye Trio and Fred Hedley, and his full Orchestra and star vocalists. From 7.30 p.m. to midnight. Admission 2/6.

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THURSDAY, JUNE 11

Mapletone Club, Mapleton Restaurant, Coventry St., W.1. Dancing every Thursday to name band attractions. Presenting Bruce Waine & his All-Stars, featuring Jimmy Skidmore, Tony Kinsley, etc.; plus Guests. 7.30-11.30. Adm. 4/6.

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SITUATIONS WANTED

PROFESSIONAL

INCORPORATED accountant, 22, requires position, London area, preferably in the profession, with prospects; no capital available; good all-round experience; particularly incomplete records & taxation.—Box Y49, J.C.

YOUNG scientist, good honours physics degree, industrial experience, seeks opportunity where administrative and technical ability combined with personality will yield results.—Box Y55, J.C.

MISCELLANEOUS

A COOK and waitress for your party.—Mrs. Winter, PRI. 8978, 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

A YOUNG man requires a week-end job; anything considered.—Box Y33, J.C.

A YOUNG man, 31, good education, experienced business management, production, staff supervision, stock control; car driver; seeks prog posn req energy, initiative.—Box Y39, J.C.

ACCOUNTANCY. Young man leaving public school wishes to become articled in Sept., to London firm.—Box Y53, J.C.

ARTICLES required with London chartered accountants by B.A. graduate, aged 20; finals accountancy and exemption from intermediate; no premium and small salary required.—Box Y52, J.C.

COOK & waitress for your party. Before 10 a.m. or after 6 p.m.—Preece, PARK 7854.

FIRST-class cook (Orthodox) seeks daily situation.—Box Y32, J.C.

LADY, fully conversant with textile export procedure and private secretary work; used to working entirely on own initiative; seeks change of position.—Apply Box Y4, J.C.

MANCHESTER young man, 26, single, conscientious and adaptable, 11 years general business experience with same firm, desires situation with prospects; commencing salary secondary consideration.—Box Y16, J.C.

REPRESENTATIVE from Wales offers services among wholesalers, grocers, and confectioners.—Box Y13, J.C.

TRAINED baby and children's nurse will take charge while mother enjoys day off.—Box Y40, J.C.

YOUNG lady, 20, non-Orthodox, seeks position in London to take care of children; offers to Box B2146, Mosse-Annoncen, Basle 1 (Switzerland).

YOUNG man, 45, good education, appearance, own car, wishes to represent company; excellent character and references; good knowledge of languages, including fluent Hebrew; suggestions welcomed.—Box Y12, J.C.

PROFESSIONAL

DENTAL surgeon seeks locums during next 3 months; experienced; conscientious; references.—Box Y11, J.C.

DOCTOR can offer partnership, with view to complete take over, in substantial medical practice in Derbyshire; capital necessary for purchase of house, equipment, etc.—Box Y30, J.C.

The engagement of persons answering these advertisements must be made through a local office of the Ministry of Labour or a scheduled Employment Agency if the applicant is a man aged 18 to 64 inclusive, or a woman aged 18 to 59 inclusive, unless he or she, or the employment is excepted from the provisions of the Notification of Vacancies Order, 1952.

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BAYSWATER SYNAGOGUE, Chichester Place, Harrow Rd., W.2. Choirmaster, tenor, and bass required.—Applications to the Secretary.

CENTRAL SYNAGOGUE, Gt. Portland Street, W.1. Required, tenor and bass.—Apply, in writing, to Secretary, giving full qualifications.

CHAZAN required for High Holy-day services, N.W. area; good remuneration; able to sing with choir.—Box Y26, J.C.

TENORS & basses required for High Holy-day services, N.W. area; good remuneration.—Box Y25, J.C.

SOUTHPORT HEBREW CONGREGATION. There is a vacancy for second reader/headmaster.—Applications, with full details and copy of testimonials, to J. Mayer, Hon. Secretary, 7, Grange Road, Southport.

TERENURE HEBREW CONGREGATION, Dublin, invites applications for the position of minister/reader; particular emphasis is laid on the ability to organise the youth of the congregation; candidates must have (or be able to obtain) Chief Rabbi's certificate; commencing salary, £850, rising to £1,000 per annum.—Applications, in writing, stating age, qualifications, experience, etc., accompanied by copies of testimonials, should be addressed to the Hon. Secretary, P. Rockman, Esq., 42, Greenlea Road, Terenure, Dublin.

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GRADUATE MASTER with good qualifications in mathematics and physics required for September. Government superannuation, Burnham scale.

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MANCHESTER JEWS' JUNIOR SCHOOL. APPLICATIONS are invited from qualified teachers, by the managers, for the Headship of the Junior Mixed Jews' School. The appointment is Group 11. The school is at present situated at Waterloo Road, but will be transferred to the new building, at Wilton Polygon, in September, 1953.—Forms of application may be obtained from the Honorary Secretary & Correspondent, Mr. A. Clayton, 14, Branksome Avenue, Prestwich, Lancs., and should be returned to him not later than June 20.

NOTTINGHAM HEBREW CONGREGATION require senior teacher (full-time), able to assist with youth leadership.—Apply stating age, qualifications, experience, and salary required, to the Hon. Sec., J. Spungin, 177, Rolleston Drive, Nottingham.

PROFESSIONAL men and women and others who are trained, skilled, experienced, are very much needed in Israel.—Those interested are invited to communicate with Patwa (Professional and Technical Workers' Aliyah), 4, Bloomsbury Place, London, W.C.1. ('Phone MUSeum 6111.)

QUALIFIED infant-trained teacher required for private Jewish school, North-West London; Burnham Scale.—Applications to Box X41, J.C.

TEACHING staff, trained and well qualified, with initiative and real interest in their pupils; apply, with fullest details of experience and copies of recent testimonials, etc.—Box X52, J.C.

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BOY wanted, general office work; weekly newspaper; must be adaptable.—Box V38, J.C.

CAPABLE secretary wanted to assist principal in running of retail business.—Apply: Box Y54, J.C.

COMPANIONABLE & capable person required to give attention to gentleman, age 68; some nursing experience an asset; good home at Hove; one other lady in household & some daily help; small salary & home in return for services; write stating age, circumstances, & remuneration required.—Box Y45, J.C.

COOK-housekeeper wanted for Manchester family of four; 2 adults and 2 schoolboys, aged 11 and 16; must be strictly Orthodox, refined, and capable; pleasant home with modern conveniences; state refs, wage, etc.—Box Y1, J.C.

DAILY nursemaid with full experience required for 18-month-old baby during July/August; N.W. London district; no living-in; good wages.—Please apply, with references, to Box Y21, J.C.

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EXPERIENCED designer for mass-produced dresses; top salary paid.—Write, Box P.838, Willing's, 362, Gray's Inn Road, W.C.1.

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FACTORY manager for factory in London, E.1, required; applicant must be good at figures for working out costings and have some experience of factory management in this country or on the Continent; works starts at 7.30 a.m.; non-smoker, energetic gentleman, age 35-50 should apply to Box P.P. 42752, Samson Clarks, 57-61, Mortimer Street, London, W.1.

HELP for elderly lady living alone in flat in East End of London; daily or resident; permanent position; good wages; references.—Write in first instance to "The Poplars," Marston Road, Nottingham.

HOUSEKEEPER/secretary, private residential post in London; state age, salary, etc.—Box Y34, J.C.

INVOICE clerk, m or f, knowledge of P.A.Y.E. for West End firm; 5-day week.—Write, stating age, experience, and salary required.—Box Y14, J.C.

JEWISH BOARD OF GUARDIANS requires cook for hostel for 15 young working girls.—Apply Matron, 167, Queen's Drive, N.4. (Telephone: STA. 8406.)

MALE accounts clerk (junior) required by London weekly newspaper; exempt from or past National Service age up to 23; some previous experience of office routine essential; 5-day week.—Box W19, J.C.

MANAGER/ESS for china and hardware shop; also assistant; experienced, reliable person only.—Evenings, MEA. 1813.

MANAGERESS/forelady for medium to better cocktail and evening gowns; excellent position for capable person; key post.—Apply: Kinross Ltd., 4, Gt. Marlborough St., W.1.

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WANTED. Cook for small institution; good wages and home conditions; references essential.—Box X34, J.C.

WIDOWER requires cook-housekeeper; good home; Orthodox.—Box Y42, J.C.

WOMAN cook required to assist chef.—Apply Green Park Hotel, Bournemouth.

YOUNG lady required for general office duties, weekly newspaper; knowledge of shorthand, accurate at figures; switchboard experience an advantage but not essential.—Box X27, J.C.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Hashomer Hatzair Trainees.—Since the beginning of the year, Hashomer Hatzair have sent a group of ten chalutzim on aliya to join the English group in Kibbutz Ein Hachoresh, a new English kibbutz of Hashomer Hatzair. The chalutzim who had been trained for agricultural work and communal life at the Dower House Training Farm near Hatfield Heath have now been replaced by new trainees.

Home for Aged: Bed Consecrated.—A bed was consecrated recently by Mr. and Mrs. M. Elman, in memory of Alfred and Miriam Arditti, at the Home for Aged Jews, Nightingale Lane, Wandsworth Common, S.W.12. Mr. and Mrs. Elman provided a supper for the residents. Mr. J. Kleiner, Treasurer, expressed his thanks on behalf of the committee.

North Finchley Women Zionists.—Recent activities of the North Finchley and Woodside Park Women's Zionist Society included a cocktail party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and a jumble sale. The Hon. Secretary of the Society is Mrs. T. Rose, 36, Lewes Road, N.12 (phone Hillside 2212).

Talmud Babli Presented.—A set of the Babylonian Talmud was recently presented to the Dollis Hill Synagogue Communal Library. At a kiddush to celebrate the occasion, the speakers were Mr. E. H. Segal, the Rev. Dr. H. Rabinowicz, and Mr. S. Steinhart on behalf of the donors.

Jewish Defence.—A talk was given recently to the Potters Bar Jewish Centre by Mr. Cecil Hyams on "The Aspects of Anglo-Jewish Defence" and "The Community Fights Back." The meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Mellows, 10, Elmroyd Avenue, Potters Bar.

Lectures to Baptist Church.—The Rev. Michael Elion, Minister of the Muswell Hill District Synagogue, gave two lectures recently under the auspices of the Ferme Park Baptist Church: on, "The Faith and Organisation of the Anglo-Jewish Community" and on "The Colour and Music of the Jewish Festivals," at the Campsbourne Hall Community Centre, Hornsey.

Play Reading Society.—The Play Reading Society, meeting every Wednesday evening at 10, West Way, Edgware, has become affiliated to the British Drama League. New members and all inquiries regarding the Society will be welcome.

Willesden Wolf Cub Pack.—The 40th Willesden Wolf Cub Pack, under the leadership of Cubmaster Alan Hyams, recently spent a week-end at Medmenham, Bucks. The boys were accommodated in the local village hall. On the Sabbath they conducted their own service.

Bankruptcy Examination Concluded.—Gross liabilities of more than £458,000 were shown in the statement of affairs of Mr. Samuel Seeman, aged 43, company director, whose adjourned public examination in the London Bankruptcy Court was concluded recently. Replying to the Official Receiver, Mr. Seeman agreed that up to the end of 1937 he acquired a number of shares in cinema companies and paid for them with borrowed money.

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Son's Appeal to President

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, who were sentenced to death in April, 1951, for passing American atomic secrets to Russia, will be executed at Sing Sing Prison on June 18, at 11 p.m., it is announced here.

Meanwhile, Mr. E. Bloch, counsel for the Rosenbergs, is continuing his efforts to save the condemned couple. He has announced that the Rosenbergs had been informed by the director of the Federal Prison Bureau that he would inform the appropriate authorities if they wanted to "co-operate" with the Government. The Rosenbergs are reported to have said that they were innocent and therefore had nothing to say.

"Monstrous Frame-Up"

In a statement issued through their lawyer, the Rosenbergs said: "By asking us to repudiate the truth of our innocence the Government admits its doubts concerning our guilt. We will not help to purify the foul record of a fraudulent conviction and a barbaric sentence. We solemnly declare now and for evermore that we will not be coerced even under pain of death to bear false witness and to yield up to tyranny our rights as free Americans. If we are executed it will be the murder of innocent people and the shame will be on the Government of the United States. History will record—whether we live or not—that we were victims of the most monstrous frame-up in the history of our country."

A letter, said to have been written to President Eisenhower by Michael Rosenberg, the ten-year-old son of the Rosenbergs, has been released here. It was said to have been written on May 20, after the children had seen a television appearance of Mr. William Oatis, the American journalist, recently released from prison by the Czech Government.

It said: "Dear President Eisenhower: I saw on television on Monday Mr. Oatis is not in prison any more because the President of the country let him go. It said his wife wrote a letter to the President over there and she told why Mr. Oatis should be let go. . . . My Mommy and Daddy are in prison in New York. My brother is six years old. His name is Robby. He misses them very much and I miss them too. I got the idea to write you from Mr. Oatis on television. Please let my Mommy and Daddy go."

NO SENIOR ARMY POSTS FOR EX-NAZIS

West German Announcement

From our Correspondent

BONN

Former S.S. officers and other military officers who actively supported the Nazi régime will not be considered for senior positions in the future German army, it is announced here by the "Dienststelle Blank" (Office Blank) which is expected to become the future West German Defence Ministry.

A Personnel Committee of "reliable" former German officers and public figures will shortly be given the task of checking applications for senior positions in the new army. This committee will submit recommendations to the German Cabinet, which will decide on the suitability and reliability of applicants.

ARAB PROPAGANDA IN ARGENTINA

From our Correspondent

BUENOS AIRES

The Argentine Government is believed to have instructed AMERICA Y EL ORIENTE, a Spanish-language magazine here, to stop publishing anti-Jewish and anti-Israeli articles which have appeared regularly in the paper since it first appeared at the end of 1952.

The magazine, edited by Issa Nakhleh, former Press Attaché at the Egyptian Legation here, caters for the 60,000 Arabs in Argentina.

A series of articles by Nakhleh is at present appearing in ALIANZA, a daily paper owned by the Alianza Libertadora Nacionalista, an antisemitic extremist organisation.

SCANDINAVIAN MAY SUCCEED RILEY

From our United Nations Correspondent

NEW YORK

Dr. Hammarskjoeld, the United Nations Secretary-General, has announced that General Riley, who resigned recently, will continue in office as Chief of Staff of the U.N. Truce Supervision Organisation in Palestine until a successor is appointed.

It is believed here that General Riley will be succeeded shortly by a Scandinavian.

REPARATIONS TALKS WITH AUSTRIA

First Meeting This Month

From our Own Correspondent

NEW YORK

Talks between Jewish representatives and the Austrian authorities on the questions of restitution and unclaimed and heirless Jewish property will begin in Vienna this month. The respective delegations will be headed by Herr Julius Raab, the Austrian Chancellor, and Dr. Nahum Goldmann.

An official invitation to the talks has been extended to the Austrian Claims Committee set up here recently by leading Jewish organisations. Preliminary discussions have already been held with officials of the Austrian Embassy in Washington, and it has been suggested that the proposed conference should begin in Vienna on June 16.

Plan for Allocations

Meeting here this week, the Executive Committee of the Jewish Claims Conference discussed the plan being drafted to allocate funds under the reparations agreement with Western Germany. Applications for allocations have to be submitted by October 15.

Dr. N. Goldmann, the Chairman of the Claims Conference, will visit London next week for talks with the Co-ordinating Committee of the United Restitution Office on the latter's suggestion that the Claims Conference take over responsibility for the U.R.O.'s budget, at present covered by grants from the American Joint Distribution Committee, the Jewish Agency, and the Central British Fund.

SUPREME RESTITUTION COURT IN BERLIN

From our Correspondent

MUNICH

The Allied Kommandatura for Berlin is to establish a supreme restitution court in Berlin, it is learned here. It will be headed by a representative of a neutral country and composed of American, British, French, and German judges.

The court, the final authority on all restitution matters under the Berlin Restitution Law, will review decisions of the Kammergericht, some of which have caused considerable concern to victims of Nazism. The latter are perturbed at the ruling that persecution cannot be presumed in cases where persons resided abroad at the time their property was confiscated and at the Kammergericht's decision that real estate "bought" by the Reich is not subject to the Restitution Law.

WESTPHALIA CONCESSION

From our Correspondent

DÜSSELDORF

The Jewish communities in North Rhine-Westphalia have been recognised as "corporations of public law" and will in future enjoy the same rights and privileges as other religious organisations in the State. Like the latter, the Jewish communities will in future have to pay special corporation taxes.

NEW YORK—Three Detroit businessmen have been fined $1,000 each for attempting to send 21 military aircraft to Israel during the Palestine war.—(J.C. Correspondent)

U.S.A. Near East Policy

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thought most of the Arab refugees could be integrated in Arab countries.

It is understood that Mr. Eban, Israel's Ambassador to the United States, is to ask for clarification of Mr. Dulles's speech, which has caused some concern in Israeli and Zionist circles here. It is felt in Jewish circles that Mr. Dulles is not impressed by the urgency of obtaining a general settlement of Middle East problems, preferring instead to attempt to secure a piecemeal solution. His statement has also led to speculation whether the internationalisation of Jerusalem and the border question are to be reopened.

Mr. Dulles, it is reported here, has brought with him an Egyptian proposal for the defence of Suez, which would link the Canal Zone base with the West through a defence agreement with the Arabs. General Naguib submitted the plan at his recent meeting with Mr. Dulles, who is reported to have received the proposal favourably. It suggests the transfer of the Suez base to Egyptian control and the subsequent establishment of the area as a major Western defence bastion. The defence treaty with the Arabs would allow the United States and Britain to have full use of the base at Suez and other Arab bases in the Middle East.

General Naguib is alleged to have expressed readiness to guarantee Israel's *status quo* under an Anglo-American-Egyptian agreement. Provided agreement between the Western Powers and the Arabs was reached, General Naguib promised to co-operate against Russia in the event of war.

The Egyptian proposal is now being studied here as a possible means of settling the Suez impasse, but acceptance of the plan is regarded as doubtful.

REPORTED PEACE PLAN

From our United Nations Correspondent

NEW YORK

According to a high Arab source at the United Nations here, America's new policy in the Middle East is to be based on abandonment of its regional defence scheme in favour of an overall plan intended to secure peace and security and guaranteeing the *status quo* of Israel and the Arab States.

Under the new scheme the United States, it is reported, would recognise an Arab League security pact, with Turkey and Pakistan as associate members, and supply arms to the signatory States. Israel's security would be guaranteed by a separate agreement. The Palestine crisis would be "resolved" by reaffirmation of the three-Power guarantee of 1950. There would be no link with the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation, but the Arab League would be connected with the American-controlled West Mediterranean Command through a joint staff council.

STEVENSON: "ISRAEL HERE TO STAY"

CAIRO

At the end of a six-day visit to Egypt, Mr. Adlai Stevenson, the Democratic candidate in the U.S.A. Presidential election, said at a press conference here that "Israel is here to stay, and so are the Arab States. What we must do is to find a *modus vivendi* between them—and that can be done."

Mr. Stevenson said his sympathies were not with any one side. In reply to a question whether he was aware of "the Israeli policy of creating an empire in the midst of the Arab world," Mr. Stevenson said: "I am not unduly alarmed."—(Reuter)

FRANCE'S JEWISH PREMIER-DESIGNATE

From our Own Correspondent

PARIS, Thursday

M. Pierre Mendès-France, the 46-year-old Radical deputy, who at the end of last week was invited by President Auriol to try to form a new French Government, is a Jew.

On the paternal side he is descended from an old Sefardi family, of Bordeaux. His mother, née Kahn, is of Alsatian origin. His wife is a member of the wealthy Egyptian Jewish family, Cicurel. Although brought up in a traditional atmosphere, M. Pierre Mendès-France has never shown any public interest in Jewish affairs.

At the age of 20, M. Mendès-France was the youngest barrister in France, at 25 the youngest Member of Parliament, at 31 the youngest Minister, serving as Under-Secretary of State at the Treasury under Léon Blum in 1938. Imprisoned under the Vichy régime, he escaped to England in 1942 and served with great distinction as a bomber pilot in the Free French Forces. Appointed Commissar of Finance by General de Gaulle at Algiers, in November, 1943, M. Mendès-France signed the French-British monetary agreement of February, 1944, and in July of the same year led the French delegation to the international monetary conference at Bretton Woods.

M. Mendès-France became Minister of National Economy in the French Provisional Government at Paris in September, 1944, with responsibility for the co-ordination of the work of the Ministries of Production, Agriculture, and Food. He elaborated an austere programme for purging France of the financial and economic poison accumulated during the years of German occupation, but his plan was rejected. In April, 1945, M. Mendès-France resigned and subsequently refused to join Governments which wanted his talents without his integrity.

Even the opponents of M. Mendès-France concede that he is a rare phenomenon in French political life, combining intellectual brilliance with nonconformist honesty and strength of character. To rally the necessary majority of 314 votes in the National Assembly for forming a government—a vote may be taken to-day—he needed the support of the Socialist Party allied with the Radical and Christian Progressive (M.R.P.) centre. It was generally acknowledged that if the country were to emerge from its present quagmire of economic and political instability, it would eventually have to adopt the self-disciplined austerity advocated by M. Mendès-France.

TWO TRAINS ATTACKED BY ARABS

Israel's "Reprisal" Warning

From our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Armed units from Jordan have intensified their attacks along the Israeli border in the past week. As a result, the Israeli authorities have informed General Riley, the head of the U.N. Truce Supervision Organisation in Palestine, that it will take reprisals unless the attacks cease.

The most serious incident, one which the Israelis described as a most flagrant violation of the Armistice Agreement, occurred on Sunday morning when armed forces from Jordan attacked two trains and communications near Qalqiliya. There were no casualties.

Other incidents were reported from Lakhish, Northern Negev, where an Israeli unit clashed with a band of maruaders, killing one, and from the Hebron area, south of Bet Govrin, where a Jordan armed force penetrated one mile into Israeli territory. The infiltrees were repulsed after suffering several casualties. Another Arab unit attacked a settlement south-west of Jerusalem. The Arabs were driven off.

The Jordan authorities have also put out a number of reports alleging that Israeli forces have attacked Jordan positions in the past few days.

The Israeli Cabinet discussed the serious border situation on Sunday when representatives of the Western Powers were summoned to the Foreign Office and given details of the latest incidents. The Knesset's Foreign Affairs and Security Committee was due to meet this week—Mr. Ben-Gurion, as Minister of Defence, was to have attended the talks—to discuss the introduction of new security measures.

At an emergency meeting of the Jordan-Israeli Mixed Armistice Commission last Friday, General Riley suggested that the resumption of daily meetings between local commanders might help to ease the tension. The Israelis agreed to this proposal, but the Jordan delegation requested time to consult their Government.

At a meeting of the Mixed Armistice Commission on Wednesday the Jordan delegates announced that their Government had accepted the Israeli proposal that local commanders meet to introduce measures to prevent further border incidents.

The Commission approved a resolution stating that the illegal cultivation of Israeli land by Jordan civilians had resulted in conflicts and that persons from Jordan had violated the Armistice Agreement by entering Israeli territory for this purpose. The Commission called on Jordan to cease illegal cultivation and harvesting.

UNDERGROUND PLOT DISCOVERED

Arms Seized in Cave

TEL AVIV

Israeli police headquarters here have announced the discovery of an underground organisation, following the recent attempt to blow up the Education Ministry. The organisation is alleged to be run by religious zealots.

Jerusalem police have found a considerable quantity of firearms in a cave just outside the city near the site of an ancient and abandoned Greek monastery. Two youths who arrived at the cave during the night with additional weapons were arrested.

On Sunday the acting Chief Justice refused bail to the youths, stating that it was the duty of every citizen in Israel to extend complete assistance to the police in their endeavour to liquidate the underground movement which threatened Israel's internal security. Yehuda Ridder, who was held last year following an attempt to blow up the Knesset, has been arrested and the police are expecting more arrests within a short time.

In addition to the arms discovered in a cave near Jerusalem, arms and ammunition were also discovered in Tel Aviv, according to a police communiqué.—(J.T.A. and Reuter)

KIBBUTZ CONFLICT

From our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Hundreds of extra police were drafted to Kibbutz Yiftah this week to eject non-residents brought in by both Mapai and Mapam supporters to reinforce their claims on property in the settlement. Fighting between the two groups had broken out following a majority decision by the inhabitants to join the Mapai group of kibbutzim.

Hitherto the settlement had formed part of the Mapam-dominated Kibbutz Hameuchad and the decision to transfer to Mapam was agreed to by only a small majority. One man was injured in the fighting and received hospital treatment.

SHEEP IMPORTS FROM ARGENTINA

From our Correspondent

HAIFA

Wool and meat production in Israel is expected to increase considerably following an agreement to import 10,000 pedigree Corridale and Merino sheep from Argentina. The first 200 sheep have already arrived here.

This is a special concession by the Argentine Government, since the country normally bans the export of live sheep. The animals will be sent to grazing grounds in the Southern Negev where breeding conditions are similar to those in Argentina.

U.S.A. PLANNING EXPERT'S ARRIVAL

From our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

Mr. Oscar Gass, of the U.S.A., has arrived here to take up his duties as head of the economic advisory staff attached to the premier's office. He will begin work as soon as he has assembled his staff, which will include four senior economists from America. He will also recruit personnel in Israel with the object of training them to take over the work when he and his American colleagues return. They expect to stay two years in the State.

CIVIL SERVICE BILL INTRODUCED

From our Own Correspondent

JERUSALEM

The Civil Service Bill was on Monday presented in the Knesset by the Prime Minister, Mr. Ben-Gurion. One of its main provisions is the separation of appointments and tenure of office from the membership of political parties. To effect this the Civil Service Commissioner is made responsible for confirming appointments by laying it down that applicants must pass examinations before being appointed and by making their appointments permanent, subject to the usual conditions.

These provisions were the subject of much controversial discussion before the present draft was agreed to. The right of civil servants to participate in political activities—which was also an issue of disagreement even in Mapai itself—has been less clearly defined in the Bill. It states that the Government will from time to time lay down regulations regarding categories and grades of civil servants, who will be forbidden to become members active in the directorate of any party and who will not be allowed to organise processions or demonstrations.

Other provisions in the Bill state that only Israeli citizens can be employed as civil servants (a number are at present Britons or Americans) and instruct civil servants to treat members of the public with courtesy.

FIRE DAMAGES DEPOT

From our Correspondent

HAIFA

A chemical store and the larger part of the general store of the Israeli railways depot here were destroyed by fire last week. Five fire brigades and army units fought the flames for two hours. The damage is estimated at many thousands of pounds.

ISRAELI MINISTER TO CANADA

TEL AVIV

Mr. Michael S. Comay, the Deputy Director-General of the Israeli Foreign Ministry, has been appointed Israel's Minister to Canada, it is officially announced here.

Mr. Comay, a barrister, has been director of the British Commonwealth Division at the Israeli Foreign Ministry since June, 1948.—(Reuter)

FROM CHINA TO ISRAEL

TEL AVIV

The Jewish Agency has dispatched a special envoy to Communist China to arrange for the transfer to Israel of several hundred Jews stranded in China. At the same time, the Agency announced that it expected emigration from Persia to continue at the rate of 250 people monthly.—(J.T.A.)

IN the Coronation Honours List appears the promotion of Sir Alexander Knox HELM, K.C.M.G., C.B.E., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary in Ankara, to the rank of G.B.E. Sir Knox, until his appointment last year to Turkey, was the first British Minister to Israel.

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